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Charity reaches goal

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

More than 400 families in Romulus, Wayne, Westland and New Boston were treated to Christmas holiday food, toys and clothes compliments of the Norwayne Salvation Army this year.

Lt. Heidi Smith, local commander, said that tremendous support from the community helped the Salvation Army surpass the \$32,000 Christmas season goal by \$600.

The local Salvation Army bell ringing effort began the week before Thanksgiving and concluded on Christmas Eve.

In addition, Smith said, 30 area families were 'adopted' by area banks and the Federal Mogul management and employees of Romulus. These families were treated to a wide assortment of Christmas gifts and acts of joy by their adoptive groups.



Lt. Heidi Smith of the Norwayne Salvation Army Corps (right) oversees the beginning of the holiday gift distribution on Dec. 21. Also shown in the photo are Judith A. Clever (right) and Janine Clever. ANP photo by Ken Garner

Smith said five Taco Bell restaurants also collected cans of food from their customers during the holidays and the

items were distributed to needy families.

Funds collected via the red kettles are used not only for

Christmas time distribution to area families, but for local emergencies throughout the year, she said.

Airport growth meeting planned

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

While a 'hot line' set up by Mayor Beverly McAnally to answer citizen calls on Metro Airport expansion issues has malfunctioned, McAnally and members of the City Council moved Monday night to set up a special public meeting early in the new year so that Deputy Wayne County Executive Michael Duggan can return and talk directly to Romulus residents.

McAnally had implemented the special phone number last week and the number was published last Thursday in the *Romulus Roman* newspaper.

'I know we have received some calls on it,' McAnally said Monday, 'but unfortunately due to technical difficulties with the entire City Hall phone system, they have not been recorded.'

Because of the twin-holiday weeks, McAnally said, repairs to the recording portion of the City Hall phone lines probably won't be made immediately.

But Mayor pro tem Mary Ann Banks reported both she and McAnally had received numerous calls since Duggan appeared before the City Council members earlier in December.

Banks asked the city clerk's office to prepare a letter for Duggan, inviting him to return as early as possible in 1993 to inform the Romulus citizens about plans Wayne County has to aid city residents suffering from airport noise situations.

McAnally suggested that the clerk, 'make sure he brings his maps with him.'

The maps McAnally referred to were computerized residential zones that displayed the areas where Wayne County was offering a three-level plan to homeowners for the next decade.

Because it was only a computerized version, Duggan

explained at the Romulus City Council meeting, the maps did not detail exact streets or neighborhoods impacted by the airport noise coverage plan.

But it did show general areas that would be involved, Duggan said, and he hoped that the exact Romulus streets would be detailed by the summer of 1993.

Those homes impacted by extreme airport noise factors would be offered three options, Duggan said, including:

- A buyout of the residential property by Wayne County.

- Soundproofing of the home paid by the county.

- A 10-year property assurance guarantee that would have the county make up any financial loss at real estate selling time that was attributable to airport noise.

That portion of the meeting is causing the most concern among citizens, according to McAnally.

The exact structure of the public meeting remains tenuous, as is the time and location of such a meeting.

Councilman Jimmie Raspberry also asked that County Commissioner Bryan Amann be invited to the meeting.

Since the City Council meeting with Duggan, a number of county-owned homes that have been boarded up in Romulus have been prioritized for demolition.

Duggan had been told by Fire Chief William Greenslait that several of the boarded up homes had been hit by apparent arsonists in recent months, creating unneeded financial costs to the city and potential physical hazards for local firemen.

The boarded up homes are located on Wahrman Street, Northline Road, Eureka Road, Goddard Road and South Wayne Road.

Asbestos lawsuit postponed by city

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

An asbestos property damage cost recovery suit by the City of Romulus against Keene Building Products Corp. is being reconsidered on the advice of the city legal counsel.

Romulus is planning to have the asbestos in both City Hall and the Public Library removed next spring and was contemplating having an action brought against the New York-based company which originally installed the material in an effort to retrieve part of the cost.

But attorney Philip J. Goodman of the Simpson and Berry law firm of Birmingham has warned Mayor Beverly McAnally that, 'Keene's financial condition is quite precarious and therefore we would not be willing to pursue a case where the likelihood of collection is uncertain.'

Goodman explained, 'Keene has been a target defendant in most asbestos-related personal injury lawsuits around the country and its resources to pay claims have been seri-

ously depleted.'

But Goodman said it would be wise to send the Keene firm a certified letter stating that they were welcome to inspect and test the two Romulus buildings prior to the asbestos removal.

McAnally said that is the action the city plans to take prior to the removal of the asbestos in 1993.

Local graduate remains missing

By PATRICIA BROWN
ANP News Editor

Families and friends of a 1989 John Glenn High School graduate are expected to offer a \$5,000 reward for information leading to the whereabouts of Jeff Elkins who has been missing since Dec. 23.

Elkins, who was last seen at his uncle's home in Dansville in Ingham County where he was living, was expected at his father Garry Elkins' Christmas Eve party in Westland, but never appeared.

The 21-year-old was last seen by his uncle at approximately 3:15 p.m. Wednesday, according to Debbie Stubbs, a relative who was answering questions from media officials.

'His uncle was leaving to go to the bank and to run errands and Jeff was about to get into the shower,' Stubbs said. 'His uncle asked him if he would still be home when he returned and Jeff told him he would.'

'When his uncle came home he noticed Jeff had taken his duffel bag with about three days worth of clothes,' Stubbs said. 'We also knew that he was planning to stop at Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi and then was going on to meet a girlfriend at a bar in Redford Township.'

The girlfriend waited until

The license plate number on Elkins' vehicle is 482 ZMH. Anyone with information about Elkins should call the Ingham County Sheriff's Department at (517) 676-8211.

the bar closed, but Elkins never appeared, according to Stubbs.

The following day Elkins was expected at his father's house at approximately 2 p.m., Stubbs said. Hours went by and he still didn't arrive. Family members became concerned and started to call relatives and friends to locate the former Westland resident.

'We even got in the car and retraced his steps from Ingham County to here,' Stubbs said. 'We have done that several times and many different people have retraced his steps.'

During the weekend, family members thought they may have located Elkins when they received a phone call from police that a man matching Elkins' description was severely beaten and hospitalized at the University of Michigan Hospital. After arriving at the hospital, they learned that it was not Elkins.

'Police said (Monday) that

they have a list of tips which they are checking out,' Stubbs said.

The case is being investigated by police officials at the Ingham County Sheriff's Department.

'We have received several leads,' said Ingham County Sheriff's Department Sgt. Vicki Freeman. 'We also have more to check out.'

'We can say at this time that there is no indication of foul play,' Freeman said. 'We have also retraced his route in Ingham County.'

Information regarding Elkins' description and a description of his blue 1986 Ford EXP have been entered into the Law Enforcement Information Network which is monitored by law enforcement officials throughout the country, according to Freeman.

'Since then we have received many leads, but when we check them out it turns out to be someone else or a different vehicle,' Freeman said.

Flow meters sold to Van Buren Township

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

The Romulus City Council approved the sale of six flow meters to Van Buren Township for \$21,000 Monday night.

Department of Public Works Director James Panos recommended the sale of the flow meters at a price of \$3,500 each. The meters are used to monitor the sanitary sewer flow.

Panos had earlier recommended that the money collected in the sale be used to help defray some of the costs of the pending Smith Road water main replacement

program.

The Smith Road piping will be replaced early in 1993 because of the repeated water line breaks this fall.

In a related matter, the council also set a study session-public hearing date of 6:30 p.m. Jan. 4, 1993 for the purpose of discussing water-sewer ordinance amendments.

The City Council members also supported Panos' recommendation that the bids for a power sweeper be rejected.

The sweeper was to be used for maintaining the floors of the DPW garage, Panos said. Since the DPW facilities will be relocated soon because of

Metro Airport expansion, Panos urged the bid rejection and a 'review of bid specifications after we better know the needs of the new facility.'

A disappointed Bill Bukowski, regional manager of Clarke American-Lincoln of Madison Heights, wrote a letter to Romulus City Finance Coordinator Lynn Conway complaining that Panos' bid specifications 'are restrictive to one manufacturer's machine. They do not even come close to being representative of the competitive bid process.'

Bukowski said his firm offered a 'bid which is being

submitted under protest based upon the restrictive specifications.'

Panos also submitted a letter explaining his side of the bid issue. 'I take serious exception to what Mr. Bukowski states in his letter relative to the above mentioned bid.'

Panos said two possible dates (Nov. 26-27) mentioned for a Clarke American-Lincoln inspection were city holidays and no one would be working and that meeting Nov. 30 would not give the bidders enough time to meet the bid deadline.

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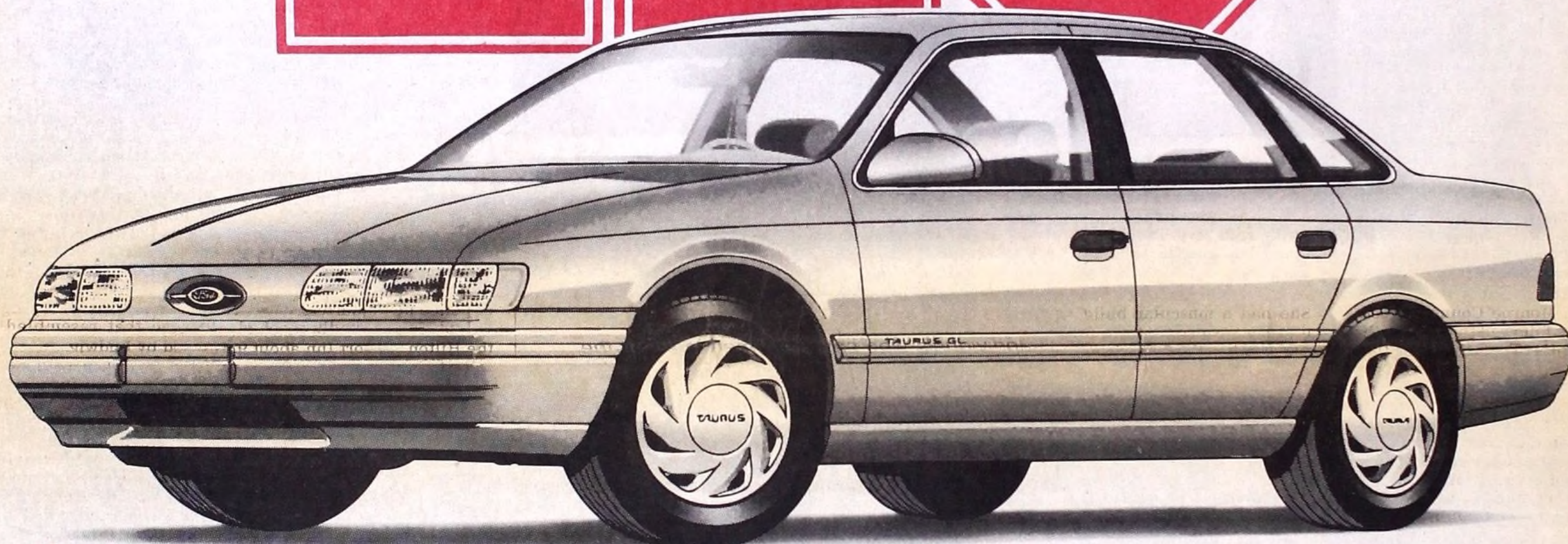
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Unsolved Mysteries

Murders continue to haunt local police

Someone knows Jane Doe

Someone knows the identity of Jane Doe, Case 17903, but so far no one has stepped forward to provide the name of the woman whose body was discovered in Monroe County six years ago.

In the winter of 1986, hunters stumbled across the remains of a woman in an area known as the Exeter Township Dump, off Hivon Road, near Rawsonville Road.

One item of the woman's apparel links her with Sumpter Township. At the time of her death, she was wearing a black tank top with lace around the arms and the name "Golden Eagle Bar" written on it in yellow letters. The bar, located on Bemis Road near Haggerty Road, has changed its name in recent years.

After the body was discovered, Monroe County investigators followed the lead to the Sumpter Township bar, but were unable to gain any information about the unidentified woman.

Police are not sure how the woman died, but an examination of her body revealed that she suffered a broken jaw and a broken bone in her arm trying to prevent blows to her head.

Forensic experts have determined that she was between 45 and 55 years old at the time of her death. She was between 5 feet 3 and 5 feet 6, and



Jane Doe, Case 17903

had brown hair. She wore dentures and the upper plate was made of porcelain.

She had a muscular build, and may have been a farm or factory worker, the forensic experts said. They also determined that she had a sinus problem and a lower back problem. She had suffered a broken wrist and nose earlier in her life. The woman had given birth to at least one child.

Recently, a laboratory scientist made a clay model of what the unidentified victim may have looked like. Monroe County police hope that the model will provide a clue to the woman's identity.

County communities.

Clemons had been a weight lifter and was in excellent physical condition. The 6-foot, 3-inch man, who weighed 237 pounds, had worked as a bouncer at a local lounge and was reported to have been the bodyguard of a Van Buren Township man in whose home he resided.

Some time during the morning hours of April 24, 1983, an unknown gunman pumped six .38-caliber bullets into the head, face, back and arms of Clemons as he was sleeping.

Lt. Kenneth Brooks, one of the officers who originally investigated the case, noted that each year a team of detectives re-opens the case and attempts to put the pieces together.

Brooks said members of Clemons' family periodically contact Van Buren Township police to find out if any new information has been found

about the slaying.

Police do not believe Clemons was a drug user, but many of his friends and acquaintances were involved with narcotics.

Two of Clemons' acquaintances, Johnny Duane Fields and Timothy A. Greenfield, both 24, were shot to death during the same year that Clemons was killed. Fields' body was found in the trunk of a car in Ypsilanti Township and Greenfield's body was discovered in the trunk of a car in Pittsfield Township.

Two individuals told police a short time before the slaying that Clemons had told them that he wanted to get out of the Ecorse Road house where he was shot. One friend said Clemons said something had scared him and made him nervous.

The Van Buren Township lieutenant believes an inci-

dent that occurred two weeks before the slaying may hold the key to the case. It was reported that three white males had argued with the homeowner about a ring and threatened him with bat. According to witnesses, two of the men threatened to shoot the homeowner. A black man, presumably Clemons, came out of the house and the confrontation broke off.

On the night before the slaying, Clemons and a group of friends went to three bars in Westland. At one bar, frequented by motorcyclists, the group had a confrontation with several men who resented Clemons, a black man, being in the bar.

When the bar closed early Sunday morning, Clemons and the Ecorse Road homeowner went to a restaurant on Belleville Road and the Interstate-94 Service Drive. Clemons

was observed leaving between 5 and 5:30 a.m. At 11:30 a.m., a friend attempted to call Clemons. No one answered the phone and the friend left a message on the tape. About 3 p.m., the homeowner returned to the house. He reported to police that the house had been ransacked and he found Clemons' bullet-riddled body in the bedroom. He waited an hour before calling police at 4:07 p.m. Police found the house had

been ransacked and the victim was still covered up in bed, as if he had been surprised by his attacker. Clemons' badge and police hat were in plain view on the dresser, and police believe the killer must have been aware that he was shooting a law enforcement officer.

Information about the incident may be directed to Brooks at 699-8930 or to the anonymous 24-hour hot line, 699-8940.

Series of rape-murders still unsolved in Inkster

By TOM MOORADIAN
ANP Staff Writer

While a special task force made up of FBI agents and a veteran Inkster detective silently go about their work to find the answer, the question of who raped and killed four Inkster women remains hauntingly unanswered.

Inkster police have been frustrated in their efforts to find the killer or killers responsible for the brutal slayings of the women, who were young, attractive black females that frequented Inkster

and area bars.

None of the task force members will comment on the progress of their investigation. In fact, they deny that a task force exists.

The string of rape-murders in Inkster began in February of 1989 when the body of 30-year-old Glenda Berdelle Tatum was discovered near the apartment she occupied in the 3800 block of Ash Street, in the southwest corner of the city. She had been sexually assaulted and strangled.

Then, on June 14 of the same year, the semi-nude body

If anyone has any information about the four brutal slayings, they are urged to call the Inkster Police Department at 563-9856 or the FBI.

of Kim Beatty Rochelle was found by two children playing in a vacant lot located in the 3600 block of Walnut Street.

Unlike the Highland Park serial killer who made an attempt to hide his victim's bodies, the killer in the Inkster

murders left his victims on the streets on in clear view.

At the time, police believed they were looking for a man, who drove a dark van and had an affliction toward black women.

Rochelle also was raped

Flight attendant's brutal slayer sought

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

Romulus authorities have received more than 1,400 leads in the brutal rape and murder of 41-year-old Northwest Airlines Flight Attendant Nancy Jean Ludwig in a Romulus hotel on Feb. 18, 1991. But, nearly two years following her death, her killer has yet to be found.

Romulus Detective Sgt. Dan Snyder, who is providing the day-to-day follow-up on the most famous unsolved murder in the city, said the most recent query was by Nevada police who sent a blood sample from a man who resembled a police sketch of a suspect in Ludwig's death.

While nothing concrete has developed from any of the clues received by local police, Snyder said, the case is anything but dormant.

The reward offered for the arrest and conviction of Ludwig's killer, Snyder said, now totals \$80,000. Some of the amount is being sponsored by the airline itself, some from various Teamster union groups and some from the victim's widower, Arthur Ludwig of Minnetonka, Minn.

Ludwig remains active in the investigation, Snyder said, and is working with police constantly in an effort to find his wife's killer.

The spellbinding murder mystery has been featured on a number of television programs including *Inside Edition* and *Current Affair*, Snyder said. Usually following such telecasts, there is a flurry of phone calls regarding the case at police headquarters.

Ludwig reportedly reached the Hilton Airport Inn about 9 o'clock the night she was murdered and was found with her throat slashed and stripped of all her clothes and possessions about 12:30 p.m. the next day.

Ludwig's mouth was taped and her arms bound by her attacker, Snyder said.

The investigation got off to a slow start because the killer took everything from Ludwig's room, including all her clothes, jewelry and personal and professional identification.

Police remain convinced that Ludwig did not know her killer. A flight attendant for 14 years, she rarely had plane lay-overs in Romulus. Individuals who may have information regarding events connected with the murder are encouraged to call Snyder at 942-6855.

Ludwig was ultimately identified through fingerprints authorities matched up with her airline records, Snyder said. Her husband then later positively identified her body.

Police artists sketched two men known to have been in the area at the time of Ludwig's arrival at the hotel. One was a fellow shuttle bus rider, who reportedly kept staring at Ludwig as they rode to the hotel. The other was a man who looked out of place at the hotel, according to witnesses, because he was carrying out luggage that resembled that owned by Ludwig.

Despite the fact other rooms on the same floor as Ludwig's were occupied that night, no one reported hearing anything strange, Snyder said.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SEND INFORMATION-- Items for the "Community Calendar" should be submitted in writing no later than noon Thursday to Community Calendar, Associated Newspapers, P.O. Box 578, Wayne, Mich. 48184. Each calendar event should be listed on a separate piece of paper. For more information, phone our newsroom at 729-4000.



CLUBS, GROUPS

ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER--Members of the ADDA will meet at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 7 at the Farmington Hills Library 32737 12 Mile Road. For more information call 464-8233.

WOOL GATHERERS KNITTING GUILD-- is looking for new members. Group members meet from 6:30 until 10 p.m. the third Thursday of every month at The Salvation Army Building, 9451 South Main Street in Plymouth. For more information call Mildred at 721-1853 or Karen at 420-4022. All knitters welcome.

ANNAPOLIS HOSPITAL OF WAYNE-- is seeking adult volunteers for patient care, clerical, bingo, gift cart and gift shop. For an application call 467-4168.

HOSPICE SERVICES-- John and Lina DelSignore owners of Laurel Manor of Livonia, bring the tastes and sounds of Italy together Feb. 5 to benefit the Angela Hospice Care Center in Livonia.

Italian cuisine and dancing will be offered. Tickets are \$45 per person and may be purchased by contacting the Laurel Manor sales office at (313) 462-0770.

THE HOLLIDAY NATURE PRESERVE--members have planned a 7:30 p.m. Jan. 13, general membership meeting at the Livonia main library in the Jenkins Conference Room. At noon Jan. 16, members have planned "Tracks in the Snow"-- learn how to identify animals by their footprints. Participants will meet at the Cowan Road entrance.

At 7:30 p.m. Feb. 10, a general membership meeting at the main Livonia library in the Jenkins Conference Room is scheduled. At noon Feb. 13, "Cabin Fever Nature Walk" is planned-- get out of the house for a trek in the woods, meet at the Koppernick Road entrance.

THE FIFTH ARMY ASSOCIATION-- Veterans of the Italian Campaign during World War II are planning a tour of battlefields of that campaign in the fall of 1993. Information is available at: The Fifth Army Association, "Canton," Sec., 465 Shore Road, Long Beach, N.Y. 11561, Suite 7P.

ROMULUS QUILTING CLASS-- from 7 to 9:30 p.m. every Thursday in the Romulus Recreation Building. Quilters from beginners to advanced are invited to attend. \$1 fee per evening. No advance registration is required. For more information call 942-6852.

CANTON DEMOCRATIC CLUB-- members meet the fourth Wednesday of the month at Cherry Hill School, corner of Ridge and Cherry Hill roads in Canton Township. For more information call 397-0545.

ALZHEIMER'S CARE-GIVERS-- a new support group for Alzheimer's caregivers will meet from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. on the third Tuesday of every month at St. John Neumann, 4480 Warren Road in Canton Township. All meetings are free and everyone is welcome. For more information phone Rosemarie Shim at 697-8051 or Anna Lilla at the Alzheimer's Association at 557-8277.

THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION - DETROIT AREA CHAPTER-- is seeking volunteers to assist with an adult day care program for persons with a memory impairment. There are weekday and weekend hours available. Volunteers provide companionship and assist with simple recreational activities. Persons interested in this program should call 557-8277.

THE MICHIGAN CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL SCOLIOSIS FOUNDATIONS-- meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Thursday of each month in the New Administration Building Conference Dining Room at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. For more information call 398-6346.

A.C.E.S.-- the Association for Children for Enforcement of Support for people having trouble collecting child support meets at 7:30 p.m. the last Tuesday of each month at the Downriver Community Conference Building, room 181, 15100 Northline Road in Southgate, east of Allen Road, near St. Aquinas High School.

AEROBICS CLASSES-- for women, men and families are offered from 6 to 7 p.m. at the YWCA of western Wayne County, 26279 Michigan Ave., Inkster. Come as often as you like Mondays and Thursdays. Each session is \$2 for members and \$2.50 for non-members. To register or for more information call 561-4110.

POLYCYSTIC KIDNEYS SUPPORT GROUP-- is forming for patients and family members. Meetings are scheduled for 7 p.m. Sunday evenings at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 42690 Cherry Hill Road, west of Lilley in Canton Township. For more information call Carol at 981-5192.

TOASTMASTERS PUBLIC SPEAKING CLUB-- Learn communication and leadership skills at The Holy Smoke Masters Toastmasters Club of Champions in the friendly atmosphere of support. The Holy Smoke Masters meet at 6 p.m. Thursdays in Denny's of Westland at 7725 N. Wayne Road.

THE ADVOCATES TOASTMASTERS CLUB-- meets every Monday at 7 p.m. at St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 5885 Venoy Road, one block north of Ford Road. For information phone 728-4774 or 721-1058.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS DOWNRIVER CHAPTER 369-- meets at the Royce Hotel in Romulus on Saturday nights. Orientation for new members begins at 7:30 p.m. The general meeting begins at 8 p.m. A dance at 9 p.m. follows each meeting. For more information call 941-4017 or 783-3274.

MASONIC TEMPLE OF BELLEVILLE-- will host an all-you-can-eat southern-style breakfast the first Sunday of every month.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON JAYCEES--will meet at 8 p.m. the fourth Thursday of every month at the Plymouth Cultural Center. For further information, phone 453-1915.

ENCORE-- Postmastectomy Group for Women will meet from 10:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. every Monday at the Dearborn Athletic Club. For more information, phone 561-4110. The group also meets from 9 to 11:30 a.m. on Thursdays at the Forum Health Club in Westland.

PREGNANCY SUPPORT GROUP-- for moms of all ages in the Belleville area. For more information, phone 697-4409.

CIVIL AIR PATROL-- Willow Run Airport Cadet Squadron meets at 6:30 p.m. each Thursday Adult members perform flight operations and unit administrative functions. For more information, phone 697-5330.

SOUTHEAST SUBURBAN MOTHERS OF TWINS CLUB-- meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Monday of each month. Phone 942-9678.

THE ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL-- A support group for families will meet at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of every month at Annapolis Hospital Westland Center in conference room A. Phone Peggy Morey at 562-2274 for further information.

LEADS CLUB, DEARBORN CHAPTER-- will meet at 7:30 a.m. each Thursday at the Marriott Residence Inn in Dearborn. The club offers business people with an effective means to increase their business. Phone Ed Jarvis at 277-0300.

FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP-- for family members and friends of individuals afflicted with Alzheimer's Disease will meet at 7 p.m. the first Wednesday of every month at Leisure Village, 31720 Van Born Road in Wayne. Phone Geraldine DiDomenico at 326-8030. Sponsored by the Alzheimer's Association, Detroit Area Chapter.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS-- Members of the support group for overeaters meet at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at St. John's Episcopal Church in Westland, every Monday at Growth Works, Inc. in Plymouth and every Thursday at Unity Church in Inkster. Phone 545-LIFE.

ALANON-- meets at 10 a.m. every Thursday at First United Methodist Church in Belleville. Meetings are closed to the general public. For information phone 461-6031.

TOPS-- Take Off Pounds Sensibly 1485 Belleville meets Tuesday evenings at the Kirkridge Park Club House. Phone Kim at 697-3721.

TOPS-- at United Presbyterian Church, 11900 Belleville Road in Belleville, meets at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday. For more information, phone Madelyn at 699-9633.

DIVORCE SUPPORT GROUP-- sponsored by Schoolcraft College Women's Resource Center meets at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of every month in the lower level conference room of the Waterman Campus.

EPILEPSY SUPPORT GROUP--members will meet from 1 until 3 p.m. Jan. 16 at 32900 Grand River Ave., Apt. 401, Farmington Place Apartments, Farmington. More information is available at 474-6335.

POSITIVE PARENTING-- a six-week series on enhancing parenting skills begins at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 9 at His Place/Her Place Counseling Center, 13515 Northline Road in Southgate. The fee is \$10 per session. Phone 281-2620 for more information.

AMBASSADOR JUNIOR CIVITANS-- will meet 7 p.m. at the Historical Meeting House located at 36993 Marquette Road the first and third Tuesday of each month. New members between the ages of 13 and 18 are sought for community service activities.

MOTHERS AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING (MADD)-- Wayne County Chapter has a Victim Support Group for the victims and surviving family members/friends of drunk driving accidents. Meetings are scheduled at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at Gabriel Richard Campus Ministry Building, U of M Dearborn Campus, 3001 Evergreen Road in Dearborn. Call the MADD office at 422-MADD for more information.

A NEW ME IN 1993--a personal growth group for women begins at 7 p.m. Jan. 6 at His Place/Her Place Counseling Center, 13515 Northline, Southgate. The group will deal with assertiveness, overcoming bad habits and addictive behavior, controlling stress and improving self-esteem. The fee is \$5. More information is available at 281-2620.

WOLVERINE DOG TRAINING CLUB-- is offering classes for beginners in obedience training as well as puppy headstart program on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings beginning Jan. 5. For information phone 476-8650.

THE LIVONIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA-- will present the annual Young Artist Competition from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. Jan. 16 and 17 at Madonna University Kresge Hall. There will be both instrumental and vocal competitions for cash prizes. Competition is open to all those under 25 years of age. Information is available at 458-6575.

THE LIVONIA SYMPHONY

ORCHESTRA-- will present concerts at 8 p.m. Jan. 22 and at 2 p.m. Jan. 23 at the Livonia Civic Center Library Auditorium. Cost of tickets is \$10. Further information is available at 458-6575.

THE CANTON TOWNSHIP CHAMBER OF COMMERCE--members are planning their fifth annual Chamber of Commerce Dinner and Auction for 6 p.m. Jan. 30 at the Fellows Creek Golf Course Clubhouse. Reservations are available at 453-4040. Tickets are \$35 per person. All proceeds from the auction of donated prizes will be used for the chamber operating expenses.

AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL USA--Dearborn group will meet at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 13. Meetings are scheduled at the Greenfield Congregational Church 16350 Rotunda, west of Greenfield Road in Dearborn. For more information call 563-7686.



CHURCHES

CHRIST THE GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH-- in Canton Township invites women over 50 to join "God's Golden Girls" who meet monthly at noon on the third Friday of the month. For more information call Pattie at 981-0286. Advent Services will be staged at the church at 7 p.m. Wednesdays.

MAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH--of Canton Township has scheduled the following event: A S.A.F.E. (Setting Addicts Free Eternally) group will meet at 7 p.m. every Tuesday for both the chemically dependent and their families. Main Street Baptist Church is located at 8500 N. Morton-Taylor Road in Canton. For more information call 453-4785.

FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH--a Protestant church has Sunday worship at 9:30 a.m. and a Sunday night prayer meeting at 7 p.m. The church is located at 46001 Warren Road in Canton Township. For more information call 455-7700.

CANTON CALVARY CHURCH--Pastor Daniel Strength welcomes you to their missions service beginning at 6:30 p.m. Jan. 3. Featured speakers will include Forest and Erica Spears, cross-cultural missionaries to the United States. Canton Calvary is located at 7933 Sheldon Road.



EDUCATION

ISSHINRYU KARATE CLASSES--are available at the Canton Recreation Center, at the corner of Michigan Avenue and Sheldon Road. Classes are planned for Monday and Thursdays and tuition is \$35 for 10 weeks of lessons. The instructor is a sixth-degree black belt. Further information is available at 397-5110. Classes are planned for all ages and all levels.

THE YMCA CHILD CARE CENTER-- has openings for 2 1/2 to 5 year old students. The center is located at 26279 Michigan Ave. in Inkster. Child care is available from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. Full and part time enrollment plans available. Quality developmental program and the rates can't be beat. Meals provided. For more information, call Michelle Trummel Director at 561-4110.

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SENIORS

THE WESTLAND SENIOR RESOURCES DEPARTMENT, FRIENDSHIP CENTER-- Activities have been planned at the Westland Senior Friendship Center on Newburgh Road in Westland. The center is open Monday through Friday.

- Travel Group meets at 12:45 p.m. every Friday unless a trip is planned. Group includes speakers and weekly door prize
- Stress and isolation counseling 2:30 to 4 p.m. Tuesdays by appointment only. Service offered by Annapolis Hospital. \$5 fee.
- Exercise is offered daily at the Friendship Center from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Monday through Friday. Moderate exercise and walking track available.
- Haircuts are available by appointment only. Sign up at the front desk.
- Health awareness day is scheduled every Friday. Free health services are offered by appointment.

DYER SENIOR ADULT CENTER-- has the following activities scheduled: • Mondays at 9:30 a.m. - Fun-Frolic with Silver Foxes with Richard Simmons, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. - Senior Chorus.

- Tuesdays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. - arts and crafts, needleworks and quilting.
- Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. - Fun-Frolic with Silver Foxes with Richard Simmons, from 10 a.m. to noon - Kitchen Band, at 1 p.m. - Bingo.
- Thursdays from 10 a.m. to noon - Arts and Crafts, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. - "Whats News".
- Fridays from 9 a.m. to noon - Wood Carvers, from 10 a.m. to noon - Fun-Frolic with Silver Foxes with Richard Simmons, at 1 p.m. - Pinochle.

• Membership meetings the first Tuesday of each month. Monthly dinners and trips, call the center for more information at 595-2161.

WAYNE SENIOR CITIZENS-- The following activities have been planned at the Wayne Community Center on Howe Road. For details, phone 721-7400.

- Handyman referral service is available for those needing help around the house. For information, phone 721-7400.
- Medicare information is provided to Wayne seniors by appointment. A trained counselor will provide information about benefits claims and appeals. Call the center for details.
- Telecare service is offered to

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local senior citizens. A person will call each day to chat and make sure things are going well. To be added to the list, phone 721-7400 or 721-7460.

ROMULUS SENIOR CITIZENS

- Home helpers are available to those who need extra assistance. For more information, phone 722-2830.
- Insurance information is available beginning at noon every Thursday. The service is free.

WAYNE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE--is sponsoring leisure-time classes for Canton Township seniors. Phone 397-5444.

ASSISTANCE FOR THE ELDERLY-- is available in Wayne County. Call 422-1052 for more information.

THE INFORMATION CENTER--offers thousands of resources to assist senior citizens and their family members with any problems. Those seeking aid or help with any problems relating to seniors should phone 282-7171 or 422-1052 for help. The calls will be warmly received and are welcome.

MICHIGAN EMERGENCY PHARMACEUTICAL PROGRAM FOR SENIORS-- If you are 65 years or older, and pay 10 percent of your monthly income on prescriptions, you may qualify for the emergency prescription program through the Office of Services to the Aging. Call the Information Center, Inc. at 422-1052 (Western Wayne County) to make an appointment or for information about the Michigan Emergency Pharmaceutical Program for Seniors (MEPPS) program 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

LIBERTY PARK SENIOR COMMUNITY-- offers a unique exercise program, Sit-N-Get Fit, for seniors at 2 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at the apart-

ment complex located at 35700 Hunter Road in Westland. All are welcome and the class is free of charge. For more information call Karen at 728-8670.



HEALTH

ST. MARY HOSPITAL--Start off the new year by kicking the habit. There will be a Fresh Start Clinic for those smokers who are serious about quitting. A three-week course designed by the American Cancer Society will begin Jan. 25, 28 and Feb. 1, 4, 8 and 11. Participants may choose between the day class from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. or the evening class from 7 to 8 p.m.. The cost of the course is \$20. Deadline for registration is Jan. 21. To register or for more information call 591-2922.

ST. MARY HOSPITAL--A Diabetes Support Group will meet from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Jan. 13 in the Pavilion Conference Room B in the Marian Professional Building adjacent to the hospital located at Five Mile and Levan roads. The topic for the January meeting is exercises for people with complications. There is no charge and preregistration is not required. For more information call 591-2922.

ST. MARY HOSPITAL--Classes to help individuals lower their cholesterol are scheduled from 1:30 to 3 p.m. on Jan. 11, 18, 25 and Feb. 1. The classes are led by a registered dietitian trained in cholesterol education.

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Closing costs 900 local jobs

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

With the closing of the Trans Jones firm, including the Romulus Jones Transfer branch operations, more than 900 Michigan jobs reportedly were lost.

How many jobs disappeared in Romulus is unclear at this moment, because of the office closings and the holiday season.

Romulus Mayor Beverly McAnally said the city has not been notified of the closing, but will be if Jones Transfer files for bankruptcy. Trans Jones is listed as one of the largest minority-owned businesses in the state.

A call to the Jones main office in Monroe provided only a recorded message that Jones office is closed for the holidays and will open on Jan. 4.

But Jones employees were notified of their layoffs on Dec. 18. Company officials stated that the insurance had been terminated and a new policy has not been obtained from any other insurer.

A pre-Christmas company statement explained, "We expect a bankruptcy filing shortly." It also contained a suggestion that company employees cash their last paychecks "immediately."

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**- Gary L. White
Company President**

Company President Gary L. White said he "regrets" the pre-holiday closing, but said, "We have no alternative but to cease operations. We can't operate a trucking company without insurance."

The firm also had statewide branches in Taylor, Adrian, Flint, Grand Rapids and Saginaw. It also has operations in Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Tennessee.

White reported that the company had been operating at a slight profit, until an expected retro-active bill of \$1.7 million for workers compensation insurance arrived in May followed by a \$2 million increase in annual premiums in September.



Breaking ground

Turning over the first shovel-full of dirt for the 216-home An-dover Farms development are Van Buren Township Supervisor David Jacobes (left), Linda Friedman and James Jaikins of Jaikins Investment Development Corp. The site, located on Tyler Road, west of Haggerty, will feature three- and four-bedroom homes on oversized lots. Jaikins and Friedman (above) pause in front of the subdivision sign. ANP photo by Ken Garner

Belleville schools reveal names of honor roll students

- 12th Grade All "A's"**
- Alyssa Akers, Margaret Atchley, Christopher Baker, Emily Bohler, Tina Bollerslev, Shelly Brown, Brandon Judy, Daryl Montic, Ciero Mungo, Christina Pearce, Tamara Scott, Kendra Smith and Robert Wyzninski.
- 12th Grade Honor Roll**
- Anthony Alati, Rachel Alexander, Anita Anderson, Julie Anderson, Sabrina Arquette, Matthew Ban, Johanna Barsk, Millicent Benson, Jessica Boelter, Tina Bollerslev, Charise Coats, Toya Cohen, Renee Conrad, Frederick Cox, Tracci Cunningham, Patric Daugherty, Thomas Dennis, Kimberly Donaldson, Koron Dorsett, Danile Drake, Karen Dugas, Jason Faulkner, Brian Ferrett, Christina Finney, Adam Forpgras, Steven Glazier, Erin Graf, Anne Gray, Michelle Guseila, Steven Harman, Todd Hendrix, Lisa Hildebrandt, Monica Hoeft, Janet Hoffman, Jason Hughes, Rachel Jacks, Mary E. Jackson, Laura Jacques, Lisa Jadzinski, Jennifer Jager, Kakinsha Jenkins, Derek Jerome, Edward Jewell, Brandy Jividen, Jennifer Keown, Shane Knowlton, Tina Koeppe, Ann Kolodziej, Aaron Kolver, Kelly Krawulski, Patricia Kuehnell, Brian Larkin, David Lessnau, Matthew Luebek, Darrin Luke, Jeremy Lyson, Anthony Maciejewski, Carmelita Martell, Robert Martin, Philip Mason, Ann Matyszewski, Wendy McCormick, Ryan McLain, Carolyn McLaughlin, Jennifer McLean, Jens Meyer, Jody Moyer, Pamela J. Murphy, Angela Myers, Tammie Nugent, Melinda Osborne, John D. Osborne, Jr., Tiffany Oster, Mark O'Brien, Jennifer Pack, Michelle Painter, Gary Phillips, Mary Points, Brian Price, Stacey Puchalsky, Steven Radecki, Annette Radisovich, Wade Ragsdale, Brian Rennells, Julie Rice, Mary Robertson, Mydessa Rose, Misty Runyon, Edward Rush, Lisa Sanders, Tiffany Sauers, Anne Seidel, Malik Shareef, Daryle Shepard, Reid Shirley, Jessica Silwa, Crystal Smith, James E. Smith, Jeremy
- 11th Grade All "A's"**
- Valerie Cardinal, John Chudzinski, Jennifer Cornell, Heather Holshoe, Benjamin Hunt, James LaFramboise, Timothy Massey, Amanda McLenon, Neil Merritt, Jeffery Tabor and Leilah Toth.
- 11th Grade Honor Roll**
- Scott Abbott, Lionel Anderson II, David Armatis, Amie Austin, Warren Babcock, Heather Barnes, Kandy Bearer, Kreishna Bellamy, Laura Bitnar, Amanda Block, Jason Bloodworth, Rachel Bohley, Richard Brennan, Michelle Brown, Lamond Byrd, Jason Cantrell, Christopher Chevella, Terashawn Cigan, John Cochran, John Colletta, Sherry Combs, Rachel Command, Armando David, Richana Davis, Michael Deaton, Christopher Deel, Timothy DePriest, Adriane Druker, Tiffany Dudek, Matthew Duncan, Mark Eisley, Elisabeth Emerson, Clint Ezell, Michael Foley, Katherine Foster, Erlinda Franco, Robin Fuls, Maria Garza, Jennifer Gilliam, Jason Haney, Jason Hanna, Brian Harkai, Heather Harper, Lynnette Harrison, Seth Hartwick, Harold Harvey, Chana Hawkins, Tara Haynes, Nekeita Hearn, Regina Hickmon, Tracy Hobson, Mark Hollandsworth, Raymond Holliday, Tonya Horvath, Jason Howard, Melissa Howard, Gideon Jones, Clinton Jones, Shannon Januszewski, Jill Jordan, Angela L. Kennedy, Erin Kidwell, Kristine Komaromi, Michael Ladouceur, Obiomaka Lawhorn, Linda Lewis, Melissa Littleton, Curtis Lunsford, Jr., Anne Marosi, Catherine Marsh, Cutch Matthews, Jenness McEachran, Michael McGuire,

- Jessica Monte, Kelly Moody, Jennifer Morris, Christina Morrison, John M. Osborne, Vivian Overholt, Andrea O'Guin, Jason O'Neill, Angela Pack, Darlene Perrine, Kevin Rupnow, Daniel Russell, Megan Sanders, Ronda Sargent, Tiffany Schock, Kristen Shankleton, Danielle Shipley, Rebecca Simpkins, Helen Skyles, Andrew Smith, Heather Smith, Paul Smith II, John Snead Jr., Ryan Spangler, Tyran Steels, Robin Stout, Donell Strine, Kelly Thompson, Penelope Tomlinson, Leilah Toth, Michelle Trevino, Candace Troutman, Ralph Truitt, Stephanie Turbin, Christopher Turner, Rbecaa VanValkenburg, Douglas Walters, Adam Watkins, Charles Way, Heather Wehner, Heather Wicklund, Tonya Wiley, Jeremy Williams, Andrea Wolfgang, Amy Yocum, Tracie Younee and Kyle Young.
- 10th Grade All "A's" 1st Marking Period**
- Samantha Boike, Kathleen Dubbin, Peggy Geeseman, Christopher Henderson, Kimberly LaPrairie, Sarah Manning, Michelle McGoldrick, Kyle Medley, Jamie Mercer, Jason Newbern, Shannon Saksewski, Lurah Smith, and Virginia Thorne.
- 10th Grade Honor Roll 1st Marking Period**
- Alison Adams, Angela M. Akers, Jamie Banas, Joshua Bellamy, Amarina Bergeron, Jamie Bickham, David Bow, Ronald Brooks, David Bryson, Aimee Cohoon, Stacy Cooper, James Copeland, Matthew Davenport, Scott Deark, Brian Dick, Edwin Dorsett, Heather Dulmage, Kevin Dunford, Jeff Eagle, Christa Emerson, Benny Farrugla, Amy Flavell, April Fondaw, David Ford, Jason Freese, Rachel Gagnon, Robert Gardner, Kenneth Gorham, Kevin Graves, Christy Grishaber, Bethanie Gubaci,

- Erica Hall, Stacie Hawkins, Christopher Herring, Sarah Hoeft, Jason Horvath, Jeffrey Hunter, Latonya A. Jackson, Tracy Jackson, Melanie Jacob, Beth Jadzinski, Matthew Jerome, Amy Johnson, Christina Johnson, Greta Johnson, Julie Jones, Nina Kar, Stephanie Kilgore, Carrie Knowlton, Ross Kouba, Ryan Lavacque, Fadonna Lewis, Georgia Lipford, Jaclyn Loria, Joshua Lyon, Cristee Maclejewski, James Marcum, Joseph Mastie, Ryan McCloskey, Timothy McCormic, Amy McDougall, Jamie K. Miller, David Mitchell, Natosha Mixon, Jennifer Moore, Michael Motter, Patricia Nash, Jacole Nelson, Jennifer Newton, Benjamin Oliver, Monique Page, Chad Parker, Carla Pfeffer, Andrea Pomerwinski, Christel Quarrels, Antonia Raymore, Jacob Reeder, Polly Ricciardo, Henry Rice, Valeska Rickman, K.E. Ring, Jaime Robson, Kimberly Roden, Jaime Rowe, Jeremy Scheffler, Brian Sibila, Ronald Slone, Angela Smith, Matthew Sorna, Amy Sprague, Christina Stewart, Robin Straitwell, Ira Swinney, Erik Szyndlar, Rachel Teall, Judith Thelsen, Tina Troppi, Shane Turnbull, Matthew Umbarger, Jeffery Valentine, Diane Watkin, Jeremy Watson, Richard Wellday, Derek Welt, Kiana Whitehead, Gregory Whitmore, Heather Wiecezorek, Brandy Wilson, Trisha Wyzninski, and Jessica Young.
- Belleville High School Honor Roll**
- 9th Grade All "A's" 1st Marking Period**
- Cyril Batten, Nicole Bozman, Brad Byrd, Darrin Dau, Tamra Fisher, Arman Forouzannia, Maribeth Grzesiak, Erin Hunt, Janice Jablonski, Rodney Komaromi, Robert Kramer, Melissa McGoldrick, Angela Martin, Jennifer Mullins, Kristy Taipalus, Gretchen Troutman, and Anastasia Zahner.
- 9th Grade Honor Roll 1st Marking Period**
- Jeremy Abbott, Phillip Adams, Heidi Alford, Diana Bartley, Kristina Belcher, Rebecca Belinski, Bradley Bielski, Carey Bird, Robert Bohms, Shane

- Brady, Kristina Brooks, Keely Burlew, Nichole Byrd, Georgiana Cardinal, Jenny Carmack, Lawrence Carter, Sunga Carter, Jennifer Christman, April Clark, Justin Clark, Leonard Cochran, Letitia Coe, Rebecca Collier, Laura Combs, Natasha Cornett, Tracy Cornett, Kevin Dare, Carroll Davis, Samantha Dawson, Suzanne Desjardin, Kelly Eisley, De'Quan Ellis, Amy Feathergill, Hazel Fields, Tivoli Fountain, David Freitas, Michelle Gartz, Jill Gomolak, Charles Goodin, Melanie Guenther, Jeffery Hackett, Nija Hamilton, Michelle Hanson, Christina Harman, Angela Harris, Nicole Harvey, Kelley Henningburg, Kristina Hinkle, Sarah Howell, Renee Hughes, Daniel Hunter, Isaac Jackson, James Jackson, Christine Johnson, Jimmy Johnson, Leland Jordan, Carla Kennedy, Michael Kinzel, Robert Kramer, Scott Lessnau, Billy Little, Sean Livingston, Brian Mann, Angela Marshall, Timothy Martin, Jason Massey, Patrick Massey, Kevin McDaniel, Karla McKanders, Jennifer McLaughlin, Meghan McLenon, Jill Merritt, Catherine Meston, Allen Michalski, Theron Mitchell, Eric Morgan, Gladys Murray, Robert Nizio, Caryn Nurnberger, Donica Osbun, Kimberly O'Connor, Bryan O'Connor, Melissa Pack, Kenneth Page, Laurie Painter, Samantha Peer, Angela Perala, Jennifer Plachetzki, Samuel Reid, Jimmie Rich, Kelra Rise, Kevin Robinson, Johnathan Roe, Andrew Romanowski, Judy Rosin, Jason Rupnow, Aisha Rush, Lisbeth Russ, Steven Saksewski, Kenneth Sauve, Misty Schubert, Danielle Sears, Kyle Sessoms, Shane Sevo, Holly Smith, Laura Smith, Nicole T. Smith, Jeremiah Solo, Heather Sommer, Crystal Steger, Bobbi Stevens, Jacob Stevens, Jason Stoops, Gregory Strimpel, James Tada-jewski, Jenny Thompson, Janelle Toney, Samuel Turner, Gregory Vojtkofsky, Briant Waddell, Erin Wallace, Brian Ward, Yvette Wardle, Kara Wasser, Elizabeth Welt, Robert West, Eric Wheeler, and James White.

- The following North Middle School eighth-graders were named to the school honor roll during the first marking period:
- 8th Grade**
- Chastity Allison, Randy Bal-lesteros, Kelly Berezney, Steven Blaharski, James Bolay, Allison, Bordt, Rachel Boyd, Laurie Brock, Angela Brooks, Deborah Brooks, Laura Budai, Danielle Bujak, Fred Burford, Rickey Burke, Constance Burnett, Shannon Campbell, Mark Cisco, Jason Clark, Steven Cowen, Jason Cullen, Sara Featheringill, Kathryn Fordyce, Janie Gragg, Jason Grandmason, April Gregory, Michael Hall, Meghan Harple, John Hicks, Christopher Hilgendorf, Kimberly Ison, Kimberly Jacks, Quijuan Johnson, Wendy Johnson, Lisa Jones, Mandi Jones, Carol Judy, Tamara Kerszulis, Kristine Kingas, Ranay Kiser, Jamie Koren, Edward Kuehn, Aaron Lang, Christopher Larabell, Mariela Lasso, Tunisia Leach, Brianne Leonard, Raymond Letson, Amber Lively, David Martin, Sarah Mason, Derrick Mastie, Macara May, Jason McCormack-Ward, Jammie McDaniel, Cora McFarland, Shawn McGuire, Heather McLaughlin, Michael Medulla, Matthew Michaeli, Michelle Miles, Brenda Miller, Kathleen Miller, Joshua Mills, Sheldon Montgomery, Michael Morris, May Mulzer, Bradley Neuhart, Michelle Newburn, Brian Ochs, Mandi Onufer, Kathryn Orr, Jason Osborne, Michael Page, Robynn Page, Sara Palmatier, Catherine Parker, Holly Parks, Tammy Petrowski, Nicol Pond, Cincy Price, Aaron Prince, Amanda Reynolds, Robert Rocca, Evaristo Rodriguez, Carly Roe, Marco Rojas, Aubrey Ruff, Kevin Runyon, Rebecca Sauers, Scott Schubert, Andria Schweizer, Bartholomew Sears, Mallie-Jean Sexton, Russell Squelch, Danny Stephenson, David Straight, Bryan Sutherly, Scott Theodore, Lakeisha Tooson, Rondell Torry, Jennifer Tucker, Shane Turner, Carla Vernier, Christopher Wall, Angela Wehner, Fifer, Amy Wilson, and Shauna Zumbro.



Volunteer aid

A group of workers came to the aid of Van Buren Township officer James Haney (center) and Goodfellows President Paul Nerswick (left, rear) and helped to sort and distribute food to the needy. ANP photo by Larry D'Vito

Cadets visit Florida base

By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

Thirty four cadets and chaperones from Romulus Senior High School recently had their first visit to the Naval Air Station in Pensacola, FL.

Led by Cadet Lt. Commander Robert Kennedy, the group departed from Selfridge Air National Guard Base aboard a Navy C-9 aircraft and returned four days later.

The cadets visited a number of the training squadrons in Pensacola, trained at the land and sea survival areas on the base and toured Battleship Park where a number of historical ships are moored.

They also had a chance to visit the enlarged Naval Aviation Museum and Fort Barrancas at the Naval Air Station.

While in Florida the group lived in the Navy Barracks, dined at the Base Gallery and went Christmas shopping at the Navy Exchange Mall.

Recreation on the base included games of racquetball, basketball, volleyball, tennis and ping pong.

The Romulus group also had a chance to meet their counterparts from the University of Wisconsin.

The chaperones included HT1 Jeff Hogue from the Wayne Recruiting Office, Gary and Mary Carpenter, Barbara Bittenbender, Regina Harris, Sharon Sarp, Dianne Rithaler, Margaretta Trammell and Reggie Hudson.

OBITUARIES

Clayton, Lucile

Lucile R. Clayton, 64, of Belleville, died Dec. 1, 1992 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Survivors include a son, Theodore H. (Teresa) Clayton of Tipton; a daughter, Diane E. (Dan) Grimm of Northville; seven brothers, James, Carl, John, Kenneth, Thomas, Timothy and Larry Liabenow; two sisters, Marjorie Smith and Elizabeth Duprie, and four grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her parents, William J. and Jeanette (Trumble) Liabenow and her husband, Harwin, in 1986.

The funeral was at the David C. Brown Funeral Home with the Rev. Edward H. Baldwin, pastor of the Tipton Community Congregational Church officiating. Interment was in Hillside Cemetery of Belleville.

The family requests that memorials be sent to the Michigan Cancer Society.

Bentley, Wesley

Wesley Bentley, 90, of Wayne, died Dec. 4, 1992.

Survivors include two sons, Gordon of Connecticut and Larry of California; three daughters, Patsy Davidson of Oregon, June Thomason of Wayne and Reva Schmidt of California; 20 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his wife, Myrtle.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Millar officiating. Interment was in the Udell Cemetery.

Lynch, William

William Kenneth Lynch, 62, of Detroit, died Dec. 19, 1992.

Survivors include his wife, Doris; his mother, Georgia Lynch; two sisters, Catherine Boyce and Judy Crockette, and a brother, Michael Webber.

He was preceded in death by his father, James Lynch.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Allen B. Lawson officiating. Interment was at the Grand Lawn Cemetery.

Johns, Ella

Ella E. Johns, 94, of Green Valley, Az., died Dec. 17, 1992 at St. Mary's Hospice in Tucson.

Born in Henrietta, Mich. on May 15, 1898, she was married to Clifford L. Johns, who died in 1970.

Survivors include a son, DeWayne C. (Dorothy) Johns of Green Valley, Ariz.; six grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, and seven great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral was at the Crane Funeral Home with Dr. Paul D. Bostwick of the Maranatha Baptist Church officiating.

Interment was at the Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens of Lansing.

Shovestull, Edna

Edna A. Shovestull, 75, of Wayne, died Dec. 19, 1992 in Wayne.

Born in Brookville, Pa. on Feb. 6, 1917, she was a former packer for a bottle glass manufacturing company.

Survivors include a daughter, Grace E. (Blair) Snyder of Wayne; a son, John M. (Karen) of Westland; a sister, Mamie Hetrick of Brookville, Pa.; four grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband, John A.

The funeral was at Galbraith-McKinney Funeral Home in Brookville. Interment was in Lakelawn Memorial Park of Reynoldsville, Pa. Local arrangements were completed by Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home of Westland.

The family requests that memorials be sent to the charity of the donor's choice.

Maloney, Helen

Helen Elizabeth Maloney, 87, of Belleville, died Dec. 19, 1992.

She is survived by two nephews, Richard and Donald Yost, and a niece, Eleanor Grabowsic.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Millar officiating.

Dunham, Leah

Leah B. Dunham, 85, retired vice president of the Detroit Bank and Trust Co., died Dec. 23, 1992 at the Saline Evangelical Home in Saline.

Born in Belleville on June 28, 1907, she most recently resided in Ann Arbor.

She is survived by a sister, Laura Carter of Stow, Ohio and several nieces and nephews including Gerald L. Wells of Ann Arbor.

The funeral was at the Robison-Bahn Miller Funeral Home of Saline with the Rev. Paul Donelson officiating. Interment was in Michigan Memorial Park in Flat Rock.

Ravencraft, Steven

Steven Michael Ravencraft, 31, formerly of Westland, died Dec. 20, 1992. A 1979 graduate of John Glenn High School in Wayne, he was a resident of Redford.

Survivors include his wife, Diana; his parents, Ken and Pat; two sons, Ian and Dustin; a daughter, Jennifer; a sister, Mrs. David (Kathy) Birge; a brother, David, and his grandmother, Josephine Sokolowski.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with Michael La Prise officiating. Cremation rites were accorded.

Carter, Fairy

Fairy Jane Carter, 77, of Westland, died Dec. 20, 1992.

Survivors include her husband, William; two sons, William and John (Barb); two daughters, Doris (Tommy) Freeman and Betty (Chuck) Sinnott; a sister, Edith Burkhart; a brother, Joseph Parsons; 12 grandchildren, Tray, Brad, Bob, Chris, Jared, Travis, Ryan, Jessica, Jenna, Cam, Scott and Grant, and six great-grandchildren.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home and interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

Elliott, Pearl

Pearl (Ma) Elliott, 91, of St. Anne, IL., died Dec. 18, 1992.

Survivors include two sons, Daniel and Earl; three daughters, Hazel Prince, Violet Watkins and Shirley Bires; two sisters, Elnora Schultz and Irene Hubner; 17 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren, 12 great-great-grandchildren, six step-great-grandchildren, and seven step great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ernest, two children, two grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with Pastor Chris Anderson officiating. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

Finley, Kenneth

Kenneth Finley, 76, of Garden City, died Dec. 20, 1992.

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle; three daughters, Deborah Finley of Garden City, Dorothy Foster of Wayne and Barbara Burton of Ridgecrest, Cal.; two sisters, Marge Petty of Woodbury, Tenn. and Mary Taylor of Madison, Tenn.; two brothers, Herbert of Belleville and Foy of Plymouth; four grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Edward Boring officiating.

Shinault, Mary

Mary E. Shinault, 79, of Wayne, died Dec. 18, 1992.

Survivors include two sons, L.N. and Max Shinault; two daughters, Peggy Miller and Janet German; 12 grandchildren, and 18 great-grandchildren.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Stephen Rowe officiating. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

Britton, Beattie

Beattie Victoria Britton, 99, of Inkster, died Dec. 6, 1992 at the Oakwood Medical Center.

She was born on July 27, 1893 in Palestine, Ark., the youngest daughter of John and Caroline Agnew.

She was educated in the McAlmont, Ark. school system and was active with the Fairview CME Church in McAlmont and was a member of the choir and Mission Society of the Bullock Temple CME Church of Little Rock, AK.

In 1934 she married the Rev. Randolph Britton and they were assigned to the St. John CME Church of Detroit. In 1941 they moved to Inkster and joined the Womack Temple CME Church. There she served as stewardess and member of the senior choir and the Missionary Society.

She is survived by several nieces and nephews and a host of relatives and friends.

The funeral was at Womack Temple CME Church with the Rev. Collins Gray Jr. officiating. Interment was at United Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were completed by the Beams of Heaven Funeral Home of Inkster.

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Westland resident

takes center stage

on Star Search

By MARGO DEWEY
ANP Feature Editor

He said he is living the American dream. He owns a house, has two cars, a beautiful wife and a daughter.

It really doesn't phase Westland resident Chris Badynee that he recently obtained the opportunity to perform with his band, the Skeleton Crew, on *Star Search* and won six out of the eight competitions.

Badynee said he is just a regular guy who enjoys life to the fullest.

"This is just something that evolved that I'm doing," Badynee said. "I had no concept that I would be playing in a band one day."

Badynee, who is a Dearborn mailman and a bass player in the band, said the Skeleton Crew was two wins away from capturing the \$100,000 prize money. They did, however, collect a \$5,000 check.

"We won the \$5,000 by getting into the semi-finals," Badynee said. "After everything was over, we each made \$550. But, that's not all we received. It took 18 days to compete eight times, and all our expenses including air and hotel were paid for in Orlando, Fla."

"We had a beautiful suite. It was a lot of fun, but it was also a lot of work."

The Skeleton Crew was selected by *Star Search* officials after they competed with more than 1,000 bands in Dearborn, according to Badynee.

"We were sending demo tapes to various record labels in January of this year," Badynee said. "One guy wrote back and said our stuff wasn't good enough for his labels, but we should try *Star Search*."

"We at first took it as an insult. It turns out, this guy contacted *Star Search* himself, and one day we got a call from someone connected with *Star Search* who told us about the auditions."

The Skeleton Crew is an alternative folk band, according to Badynee. He said when the group auditioned, they were the oldest of the participants. Group members range in age from 27 to 34 years old.

"We actually decided to try out just for the heck of it," Badynee said. "We really didn't think we would be selected. They videotaped us, and the next thing we knew, we won the chance to go on the show."

Badynee said the plan was to win just won competition in order to get recognition.

"We ended up winning six times," Badynee said. "I have to say this is the most grueling experience I've been through. Since it's taped, you have to wait for all the other acts to perform before you go on. Waiting was the hardest part."



Russ Epker, (top) Bill Pilipchuk, Dan Hess, Chris Badynee (bottom), Greg Tyler and Scott Christy were more than pleased with the results of the *Star Search* competition. ANP Special Photo

"We were there eight to 10 hours a day. Everyone would practice on stage and take turns. It was really non competitive in the end. The best part was we all became very dear friends with the rest of the competitors because you had time to get to know them."

The Skeleton Crew performed their original piece *We Ought to Know Better* which earned them not only the praise of the all-star panel, but also resulted in their return to battle the reigning five-time champs.

On their second time out, Skeleton Crew beat the champs, a three-piece vocal group from Los Angeles.

Badynee said Ed McMahon is just a regular guy like himself.

"Before we left, we bought everybody presents," Badynee said. "Although we didn't win the big money, the experience was a gift in itself."

Besides Badynee, Skeleton Crew members consist of Bill Pilipchuk (lead vocals), Scott Christy (guitar/vocals), Russ Epker (lead guitar), Dan Hess (keys/guitar/vocals) and Greg Tyler (drums/percussion).

The group got together in 1991, according to Badynee.

"Billy and Scott were with another group, Sweet Alley Badynee said. "They were gigging a year before they called me. I was with the Cadillac Kids band. Me and Billy were buddies before."

When his band broke up, we got together."

Badynee said the major turning point in his life is when he realized that "life has been a waste of time."

"I decided that I wanted to play with this band because of all the talent that is in this band," Badynee said. "We started rehearsing five or six times a week. We didn't get a drummer until about six months ago."

"We got to a point where we really wanted to expand our band. We now have a drummer who is actually a percussionist. He plays hands on skin."

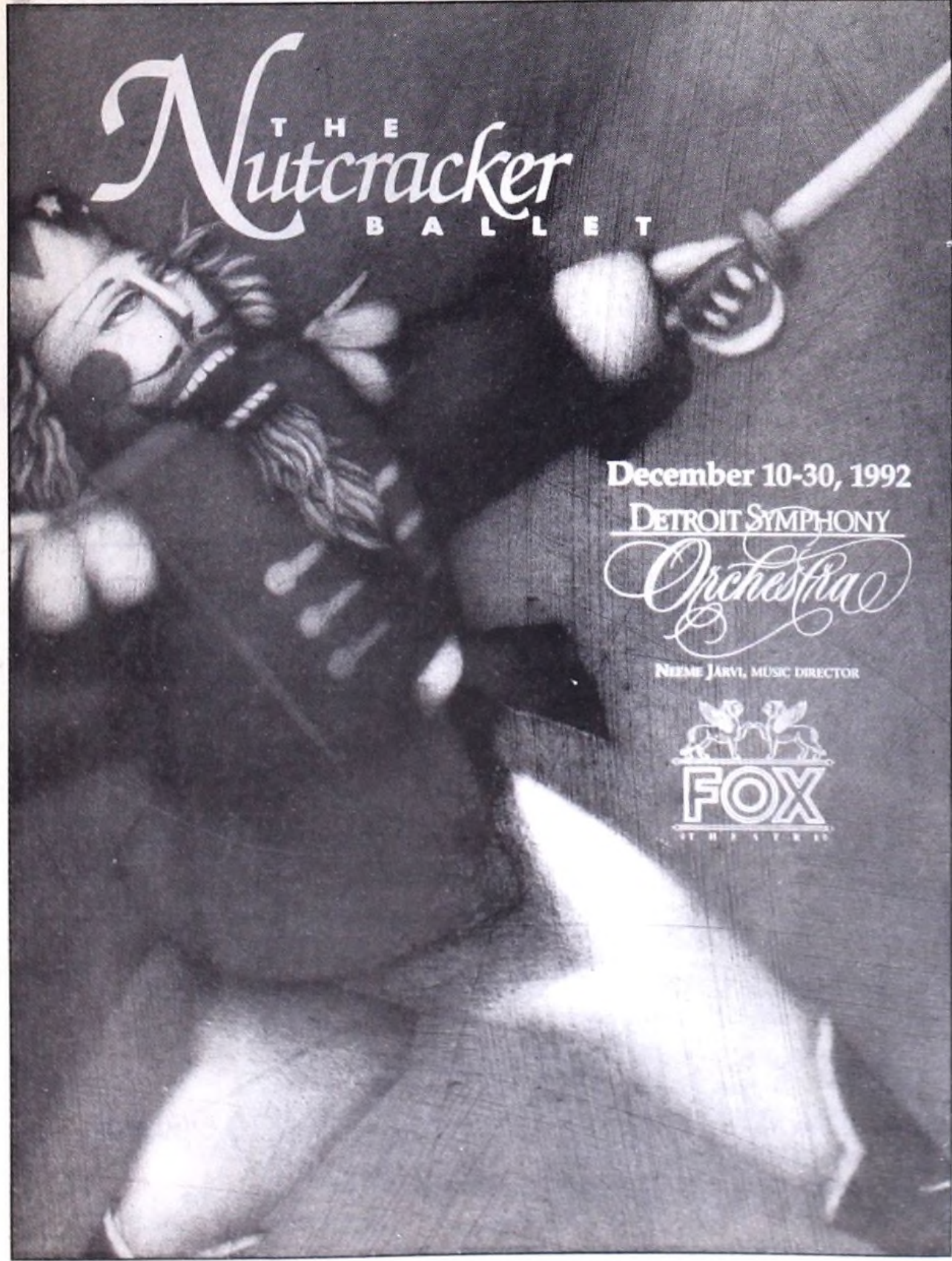
The Skeleton Crew was working on a demo, recording a song for D.C. Drive's Christmas compilation record.

Although the group has been together for a short time, they've added up some impressive credits including landing opening gigs for Foreigner, Robert Palmer, The Smithereens and Kenny Loggins. The Skeleton Crew has also performed the National Anthem before The Piston's and Tiger's games.

Would Badynee like to become a recording star in the future?

"If I can do what I'm doing now, I'm happy," Badynee said. "I love my job. I have enough work with the band to have my creative outlet. Although I don't think about becoming a big star one day, I wouldn't turn down a record deal. That's just a fantasy though."

Nutcracker captures the hearts of the audience



By MARGO DEWEY
ANP Feature Editor

If you've never seen chocolate dance, tea twirl or sugarplum fairies dance in the clouds, you've missed one of the most beloved Christmas classic ballets, the Nutcracker.

Members of the San Francisco Ballet, American Ballet Theatre, Dance Theatre of Harlem, Universal Ballet Co. and Dance Detroit graced the Fox Theatre stage Dec. 10-30.

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra provided the outstanding music by Peter Tchaikovsky.

The Nutcracker depicts a Christmas party given by the town official and his wife for their children, Clara and Fritz. The guests arrive, and there is dancing. All the children are given presents.

Another guest arrives, the eccentric old gentlemen Herr Drosselmeyer. He brings four gifts: a Vivandiere (a female who cooks for the military), a soldier, a Harlequin and a Columbine. All the gifts dance for the children.

Drosselmeyer also brings a special toy for Clara, a Nutcracker doll. As she and her friends begin to play with the doll, her brother interrupts and, out of jealousy, breaks the doll.

Drosselmeyer is able to fit the pieces back together again. Once the family goes to bed, Clara cannot sleep, so she returns to the drawing room to retrieve her Nutcracker. Suddenly the clock strikes midnight, and the peaceful scene is transformed as furry mice invade the room.

Drosselmeyer mysteriously returns. The toy soldiers come to life and, led by Clara's Nutcracker, begin to battle the mice.

As the Nutcracker is about to be attacked by the king of the mice, Clara kills the mouse king with her slipper. The Nutcracker is then transformed into a prince, who, in gratitude, invites Clara to accompany him on a splendid journey to the Kingdom of Sweets, which is situated beyond an enchanted forest.

All of the performers were dressed in very elegant costumes. The principal dancers Katherine Nason (Clara), Andre Levitt (snow prince) and Victoria Renee Stocki (sugarplum fairy) received a standing ovation for their superb performance.

Levitt began his ballet studies at the Lascu School of Ballet. He then went on to train with the Hartford Ballet and Dance Theatre of Harlem. He is currently a demi-soloist.

Levitt recently performed in the Fete Noirs and John Henry ballets.

Stocki studied on scholarship with the School of American Ballet, Chicago City Ballet, Pennsylvania Ballet and Briensky Saratoga Ballet. She graduated from Interlochen Arts Academy in 1989 and the Universal Ballet Academy in 1991.

Stocki is a member of the Universal Ballet Company, Seoul, Korea.

The second act of The Nutcracker was even more enchanting as the dancers preformed a Spanish dance in brilliant colors of red and gold. One of the favorite dances involved Mother Gigone and her troupe of children. Approximately 20 children of various ages tumbled, twisted and stood on their head at the same time while keeping to the rhythm of the music.

The children were all dressed in orange, white and yellow clown costumes.

The second act involves Clara and the prince arriving at the Kingdom of Sweets where they are greeted by the Sugar Plum Fairy. A Spanish, Arabian, Chinese and Russian dance take place.

The Waltz of the Flowers is then followed by a pas de deux danced by the Sugarplum Fairy and the prince.

At the end, the characters bid farewell to Clara, and she awakens to realize this has all been a dream.

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra continued its tradition of providing the utmost musical entertainment for the audience. As the curtain closed, everyone seemed to linger as if wanting the Nutcracker dream to awaken all over again.

OBITUARIES

Stubblefield, Will

Will D. Stubblefield, 59, of Westland, died Dec. 25, 1992 in Livonia.

Born in Harden, Ky. on July 11, 1933, he lived most of his life in Westland and worked at the Ford Motor Co. transmission plant in Livonia for 37 years before retiring. He also was a member of the American Legion Post No. 32.

Survivors include his wife, Martha A. of Westland; a daughter, Debbie A. (Daniel) Bush of Wayne; a brother, Joseph E. of Phoenix, Ariz.; six sisters, Barbara Noles, Diane Meadows, Darlene Ellis and Beverly Kurutz, all of Chicago, Juanita Seeger of Crystal Lake and Hilda Novak of Georgia, and three grandchildren, Tonya, Jim and Marcie.

The funeral was at the Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home of Westland with the Rev. O.L. Holloway officiating. Interment was in Knollwood Cemetery of Canton Township. The family requests that memorials be sent to the donor's choice of charities.

Tudor, Janet

Janet L. Prem Tudor, 28, of Westland, died at Shawnee Mission Medical Center in Shawnee Mission, Kansas, on Dec. 25, 1992 following a short illness.

Born in Omaha, Neb. on March 14, 1964, she was the daughter of Walter and Beverly Black Prem.

She graduated from Iowa City High School in 1982 and from Concordia Teachers College of River Forest, Ill. in 1986. She later earned her masters degree in Education Psychology at Eastern Michigan University in 1991.

She taught elementary grades at St. Michael Lutheran School of Wayne.

She lived in Iowa City until 1986, when she moved to Michigan. She was a member of St. Michael Lutheran Church of Wayne.

She married James R. Tudor Jr. on March 7, 1992 in Wayne.

Survivors include her husband and parents; two brothers, Clyde Prem of Lenexa, Kan. and Andy Prem of Simi Valley, Cal. and two nephews.

The funeral was at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Iowa City with the Revs. Tom Wirsing and Carl Gnewuch officiating. Interment was in Memory Gardens Cemetery, Iowa City. Arrangements were completed by the George L. Gay Funeral Home of Iowa City.

The family requests that memorials be sent to the Janet L. Tudor Scholarship Fund of St. Michael's Lutheran Church Foundation.

George, Margaret

Margaret George, 63, of Inkster, died Dec. 12, 1992 at her home.

Survivors include a brother, Thomas Lee; a niece, Cassandra; one great-niece, Tashana; two granddaughters, one grandson, one great-grandson, and a host of uncles, aunts, cousins and good friends.

The funeral was at the Penn Funeral Home with the Rev. James Allen officiating. Interment was in United Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Abner, Lady

The Rev. Lady Frances Abner, 85, of Wayne, died Dec. 15, 1992 at Annapolis Hospital.

Survivors include a son, Ronnie; her daughter-in-law, Brenda; two grandchildren, Ronnie II and Tiffany; a dear friend, Earl, and a sister, Mary.

The funeral was at the Penn Funeral Home with the Rev. David Blakely officiating. Interment was in United Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Thomas, Marion

Marion LaRoy Thomas Jr., 36, of Inkster, died Dec. 16, 1992 at home.

Survivors include his wife, Melody; daughter, LaChonda; two sons, Marion III and Martez; two sisters, Maxine Bailey and Dedra Jenkins; a brother, John Turner; three uncles and four aunts, Robert

and Jean Greene; Archie and Raleigh Mae Greene, Henry and Virginia Greene and Shirley Greene; his mother-in-law, four sisters-in-law, three brothers-in-law, 14 nieces, and 12 nephews.

The funeral was at the Penn Funeral Home with the Rev. Eddie C. Wilson officiating. Interment was in United Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Wasson, Thelma

Thelma Louise Wasson, 65, of Inkster, died Dec. 13, 1992 at University Hospital.

Survivors include a daughter, Melvina Kennedy; a son-in-law, Robert Kennedy; five sisters, Dr. Nina (Eugene Sr.) Mack Lester, Vera (George) Lester, Aretha (Angelo) Watkins, Juanita (Arthur) Taylor and Anna Henderson; a brother, the

Rev. Dr. Homer J. (Johnnie) Fox; an aunt, Pearl A. Peoples and four grandchildren, Candace Reid, Bukeka Kennedy, Sequoia Kennedy and Maurice Turner.

She was predeceased by a brother, Clifford Fox.

The funeral was at the Middlebelt Baptist Church with the Rev. C.E. Martin officiating. Interment was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Arrangements were completed by the Penn Funeral Home.

Wells, Chester

The Rev. Chester A. Wells, 82, of Inkster died Dec. 15, 1992 at his home.

Survivors include a daughter, Rose Mary Dixon; eight grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews.

The funeral was at the Penn Funeral Home with the Rev. Alfonzo Smith officiating. Interment was in Westlawn Cemetery.

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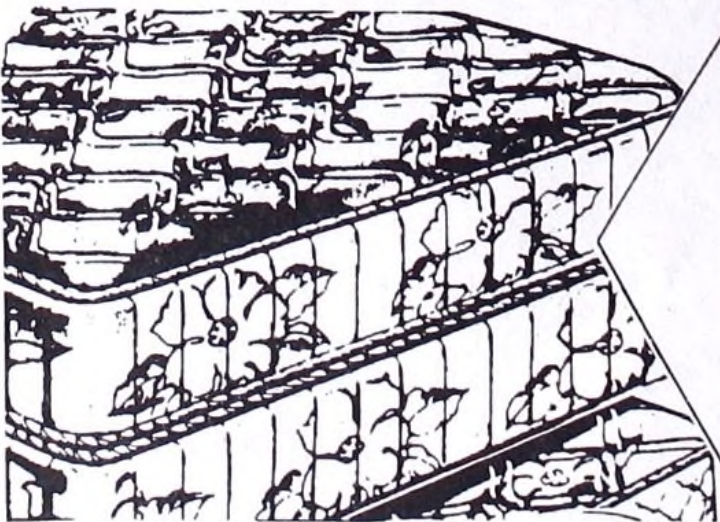
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A sweet stroll

First United Methodist Church officials in Wayne recently organized a "Cookie Walk" fundraiser for the church. Dozens of cookies were for sale including everything from chocolate chip to peanut butter crunch. Dr. Ken Dryer found his favorite bins of sweets while Sally and Larry Nitzel selected a few coconut drop delights. ANP photo by Larry DiVizio



Area man to serve 4-year prison term

A Westland man was sentenced earlier this month to four years in prison after being convicted of 27 counts of mail fraud, according to United States Attorney Stephen Markman.

Donald Keith Hurst, 42, received the sentence from U.S. Judge Nancy Edmunds.

Markman stated that Hurst was convicted of submitting false accident claims to health insurance companies.

"The scheme, which operated between 1987 and 1989, involved persons signing up for student health insurance," Markman said. "These applicants falsely claimed to be students at various schools across the country."

After Hurst obtained coverage, he and others would submit false claims for medical bills usually the slightly altered hospital and doctor bills to different insurance companies, Markman added.

"In most cases, the supposed hospital had, in fact, been closed for business, and the supposed doctor had, in fact, passed away," Markman said. "The address used for the alleged students and alleged doctors were actually private mail box services."

The insurance scheme netted \$75,000 in insurance payments. Billings totaled approximately \$150,000, according to Markman.

Prior to sentencing, officials stated that Hurst attempted to mislead the court by telling the judge he was suffering from tuberculosis.

"Judge Edmunds found that Mr. Hurst submitted false documents to his pretrial services officer to convince the officer that he was under quarantine," Markman said. "The trial was delayed out of concern that Mr. Hurst's condition would create a health hazard."

The cat's meow Presidential look-alikes sought

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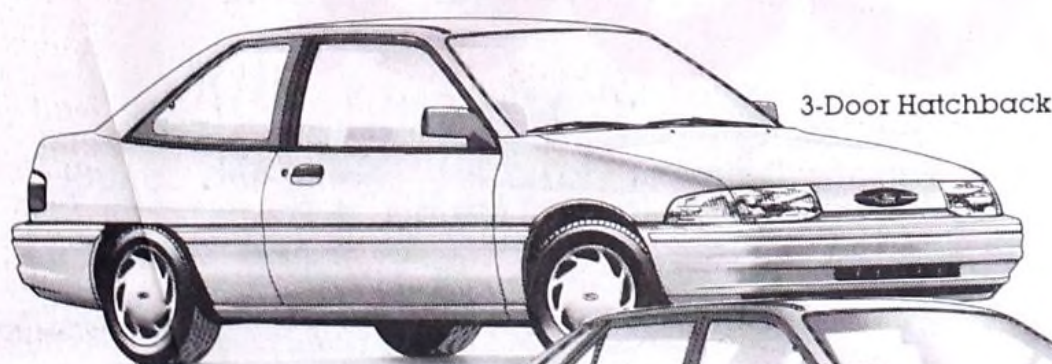
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3 to seek mayoral office in Westland

By PATRICIA BROWN
ANP News Editor

Westland residents can expect a politically-active year in 1993.

In addition to the four seats that will be available on the city council, the mayoral race has already brought out two possible office seekers and one definite candidate.

Mayor Robert Thomas was the first to announce that he definitely will be a candidate in the upcoming mayoral race.

"My intent is to stay right here," Thomas said. "You will definitely see me in the election."

Thomas' four-year term expires in January of 1994.

Other possible candidates include two familiar faces--current Westland City Council President Charles Pickering and current council member Sandra Cicirelli.

Pickering is no stranger to the mayor's office. He served as mayor of Westland from 1982 to 1986.

"I am considering it," Pickering said. "I've been talking to my supporters to get some feedback and so far it's been good."

Pickering, who has been a council member since 1988, believes there needs to be a change in the mayor's office.

"I do think there needs to be a change," Pickering said.

He believes the issue will develop once all of the candidates have been announced.

Cicirelli also stated that she has considered entering the mayoral race. "Yes, I've been considering it, but I certainly haven't finalized my plans yet," Cicirelli said.

Cicirelli's council term expires at the end of 1993 and even if she doesn't enter the mayoral race, she will definitely be a candidate in the council race, she confirmed.

If Cicirelli is successful she would be the first woman mayor in the history of the city.

Last summer Cicirelli, who is an attorney, and former Westland City Attorney Chuck Bokos were considered as replacements for 18th District Court Judge Thomas Smith. Bokos was chosen.

Cicirelli and Thomas agreed that development will continue to be a significant issue during the upcoming campaign.

They are most concerned about the quality of future development.

The mayor indicated that the race is expected to be lively.

"I do expect it to be a pretty active and heated campaign," Thomas said. "The citizens will see politics at its best in Westland and they will also see a lot of mudslinging."

The last mayoral campaign was brutal, but Thomas believes that citizens are more educated about city issues now.

"Last time we saw a lot of mean-spirited tactics, but most people have gotten an awful

lot smarter since then," Thomas added.

The mayor and Pickering had some unkind words for each other.

Thomas described Pickering's mayoral term as being a "war zone."

"It was just like a war zone for four years," Thomas said. "I really totally believe if he was elected mayor again, it would revert back to that type of government."

Pickering is not satisfied with Thomas' administration either.

"I believe he is stepping on good people who are involved in the community," Pickering said. "I don't approve of the way he has treated people in the business community, the schools and many members of boards and commissions."

He is also concerned that the mayor has misused his privileges on the city cable channel 8 by using the channel to promote himself, he said.



"It was just like a war zone for four years."
- Mayor Robert Thomas



"Yes, I've been considering it, but I certainly haven't finalized my plans yet."
- Sandra Cicirelli



"I do think there needs to be a change."
- Charles Pickering

Supermarkets join safe-driving effort

Farmer Jack/A & P supermarkets are driving home an important safety message this holiday season--Don't Drink and Drive.

Farmer Jack/A & P officials have actively joined the growing ranks of concerned local businesses to support the Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) campaign by reminding motorists to play it safe this holiday season.

Through an aggressive in-store program, Farmer Jack/A & P is reaching customers as they shop for their holiday party planning needs, according to Larry Zettle, president of Farmer Jack/A & P stores.

"We want customers to have a safe and happy holiday season and are encouraging them to 'tie one on' by passing out more than 125,000 MADD red ribbons from delicatessen counters in all 124 Farmer Jack/A & P stores," Zettle said. "And, as part of Farmer Jack/A & P's overall program to help increase awareness about the dangers of drinking and driving, Farmer Jack/A & P truck drivers have tied large red bows to their entire fleet of semi trucks to remind Michigan motorists to drive responsibly."

Stores participating include two Westland Farmer Jack/A & P establishments at 34414 Ford Road and 8050 Middlebelt.

The supermarkets have embarked on a community-wide program that involves the distribution of one million free copies of Heartwarming Holi-

"We want customers to have a safe and happy holiday season and are encouraging them to 'tie one on'."

- Larry Zettle

days which is created by Farmer Jack/A & P supermarkets and endorsed by the Wayne and Oakland County MADD chapters to make holiday meal planning easy while offering safe party planning tips.

Farmer Jack/A & P officials and the Michigan Abuse and Traffic Safety officials offered the following tips for holiday parties:

- Always offer a guest a choice of non-alcoholic beverages.
- Serve foods rich in protein such as meats, cheeses and vegetables early so your guests don't drink on an empty stomach.
- Have a theme for your party or plan simple games to acquaint your guests with one another. As people relax with each other and start to mingle, the need to drink is greatly reduced.
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Farmer Jack and A&P Supermarket truck driver Bill Bennett of Taylor (left) and Advertising Director Paul Coleman of Canton Township tie a red ribbon to the front of a Farmer Jack and A&P truck to signify the observance of no drinking and driving during the holidays. The company joined Mothers Against Drunk Drivers in sending a message about the dangers of driving while under the influence of drugs or alcohol. Officials from the stores encourage customers to "tie one on" with a MADD red ribbon and pick up a free in-store party planning and safety tip book while supplies last. ANP Special Photo

Opinion

We wish you...

As is appropriate and traditional this time of year, we send our best wishes for the season to all our communities and our readers.

But this year we would like to indulge in some rather sentimental and old fashioned good wishes for the special people in our area.

As many of our readers know, our newspapers have marked more than 100 years of service to this community. These newspapers were here when the entire area was undeveloped and the only semblance of a town was in Belleville. Old issues of this publication, which date back into the 1880s, describe the events and the issues of those days with a flavor reminiscent of a much simpler time. Big news in those days was a train stopped on the tracks through town for a day while repairs were being made. This, of course, forced those wishing to get to the general store to drive their buggies or ride their horses all the way around the stopped machine. A major inconvenience.

During World War I, this home-town newspaper brought neighbors up to date about the heroics, lives and deaths of those sent overseas--and announced many a war-time wedding.

And looking back through the hundred years of service to the community which this newspaper has provided, the feeling of pride, the philosophy of local news first becomes very clear.

For a while a few decades past, when the newspaper fell out of family ownership and into the hands of a large corporation, that small-town pride and spirit was lost--but it appears again, stronger than ever during the past two decades or so.

In looking through the old issues, we've found stories about the problems of the communities with millage elections, taxes, construction and development and lack of money to provide municipal services. There have been scandals, crimes, hirings and resignations. There, chronicled, are the births, deaths and marriages of our community.

On these pages, one can find the history of our communities both in the stories of the municipal actions and in the reports of the people who live there. We continue that tradition, each week, year after year and it is at this time we fully come to understand our charge and our mission.

We consider ourselves fortunate indeed to serve these communities and to be a part of preserving the history which is unveiled each week. We treat our small-town news in a very big-time way and attach to it the importance that it deserves. Because it is important. More important, perhaps, to future historians and to those involved than many of the items one sees on the national news or in the daily press each day.

This is the very history of this area and of this time. And our obligation and honor is to detail it for those we serve.

We will attempt to continue this tradition, established before our time, through this next new year and for as long as we are able. We will then attempt to pass that same mantle on to those who may follow us here.

Each of our communities is a shining treasure and we value and respect them more with each passing year we are allowed to continue to serve.

So, sentimental as it may be, our wishes are for the happiness, peace and joy of all we serve.

Happy holidays.

A special thanks

Each year at this holiday season, nearly every local chamber of commerce sponsors a Christmas gathering or reception for business and community leaders. And every year, these gatherings provide the camaraderie and interaction necessary to the cooperation of these groups.

These chambers deserve a most sincere thank you for the planning, care and sacrifice of time and energy which is implicit in these gatherings. They are invaluable to those who attend and provide invaluable aid to the communities.

These gatherings are an opportunity for the business leaders and the city officials to meet socially to open further communication and cooperation.

The respective hosts of these gatherings deserve the appreciation of the entire community for their efforts.



Somalia solutions suggested

To the editor:

For the second time in less than two years the United States has committed itself to concerted armed intervention of a foreign land. Recent evidence points also toward the conclusion that President Reagan's and President Bush's cold-war foreign policies (1981-1989) induced America to invade Iraq after it had armed Iraq - even as close as 48 hours before Saddam Hussein invaded Kuwait. Now the U.S.'s commitment of almost 30,000 troops to the devastated Republic of Somaliland on the eastern coast of Africa forewarns of another long-standing and ominous involvement of American life and material, unless Mr. Bush's myopic policy makers see the folly of defining the U.S. mission as "strictly humanitarian" - a commitment, as one Republican critic blandly understates, as "not tightly defined."

America needs to define its goals, establish some definitive plans, otherwise it's in for the treachery of the long haul. As Ollie said to Stan, "Well, this is another nice mess you've gotten me into." Only in this human comedy laughs have long since ceased as troops pack their duffel bags for 1,700 miles of Somali shores with its teeming starvation and ubiquitous violence.

President Bush wants the U.S. out by Bill Clinton's inauguration, but what should the U.S. do if it can't extricate itself by then? Should the U.S. citizenry ready itself for body bags on tarmacs and dismal media reports of the deadly dominoes of protracted military involvement? Or, should the U.S. more clearly delineate its motivations and directions in committing itself to sensible Somalian relief rather early in the rescue process?

Some Somali history first. From 1969 to 1977 Somalia and its dictator Siad Barre enjoyed the comfort of Soviet aid. During the conflict between Ethiopia and Somalia in the late 70s the Soviets answered Ethiopian requests for assistance and the USSR switched its allegiance. In 1978, Somalia turned to the U.S. whose cold-war policies prompted Reagan

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and later Bush to establish naval installations in the port of Berbera so the U.S. could observe action in the Persian Gulf and Indian Ocean. Unknowingly, Somalia became a pawn in U.S.-Soviet cold-war politics, its doom cast in the machinations of a two-superpower struggle for world dominance. Ironically, Somalia became a base for the U.S. to watch another famous conflict evolving in Iran and Iraq only a few miles away.

In the 80s to assist Siad Barre, The U.S. supplied Somalia with neat little M-16 155mm howitzers, heavy-duty military masterpieces able to propel an 18-pound bullet almost 48 miles. Other small weapons - those one views on national telecasts being toted by Somali teeny boppers - include the 106mm M-40A1 recoilless gun, the 105mm M-56 field gun, and the AK-47 assault rifle, a nifty piece popular even on American thoroughfares. Congress pressed the Republicans to cease weapons sales sometime in 1989, ironically, about the same time it stopped arming Iraq.

For two or three years now the U.S. has abandoned and neglected Somalia. It has consciously worked in 1992 to encourage limitation of humanitarian aid to Somalia: on January 23 it helped to tone down USN enthusiasm to resolve political turmoil there and on March 17 it downplayed the UN's involvement in Somalian politics. An interesting question now: Is 1992-1993 Somalia an innocuous pawn of world politics or the inadvertent victim of President Bush's neglect of foreign politics as America turned homeward in the election year? Take your pick. Six of one, half dozen of the other.

Now Remer Tyson, a Detroit Free Press Africa correspondent, reports a young Somali thug saying the obvious: "We're hiding the weapons. The Americans have to leave sometime." And how can the U.S. solve this gang-mentality intransigence, still feed the starving, and complete its mission?

To combat these difficulties, the U.S. needs to formulate a Somali plan designed to set clear direction for the U.S., a nation going through difficult transitions itself, moving away from old fustian cold-war politics toward the new world of a Democratic administration which will ultimately pick up tabs from old debts and old dilemmas. This plan should look forward to new and positive solutions in international politics - cold-war politics (manipulation of people) replaced by new-world-order politics (aiding people), where the UN and the U.S. play different roles than they traditionally have in solving world problems.

Let's be realistic. With no government, infrastructure, police, banks, business, and industry, it will take years to get Somalia back on its feet. The handwriting is on the wall for the U.S. in this first "new-world-order" adventure in this ravaged Horn of Africa nation. The graffiti reads: AMERICA! BE A LEADER! Unless long-range peace and order and some beginnings of prosperity are attained in Somalia, the wished-for quick fixes of a late 1992 incursion and an early 1993 departure will be like putting a Band-Aid on an AIDS patient. And, we fathers and mothers of American teenagers do not want our precious youth murdered in careless military schemes, especially in the faraway land of Somaliland, whose people have traditionally been regarded and described as simple farmers and gentle nomads and lovers of poetry.

Norman A. Duewekef
Macomb, MI

Children need help

To the editor:

You have helped me in the past, and I am grateful. Can I count on you again this year?

As I mentioned in my letter to you last year, for the past 20 years I have donated my time and energies as a member of the Board of Trustees of a very special organization - St. Jude's Ranch for Children in Boulder City, Nevada.

St. Jude's Ranch is a licensed, nonprofit, nonsectarian and professionally supervised child care facility. It is dedicated to helping

abused, neglected and troubled children and teens.

Help me help these children by alerting your readers to St. Jude's unique fund raising project: recycling used greeting cards. In the past only Christmas cards were requested, however due to your help their program has expanded to include all occasion cards as well. Please thank your readers for their help and inform them of the success of the children's year round program.

In addition to recycling used greeting cards, the ranch collects Campbell's product labels, and if your readers want to throw in a few bucks for the children that would be helpful too.

The kids will love you for it.

Ed McMahon

P.S. Please send your cards (FRONTS ONLY, to help reduce postage costs) to St. Jude's Ranch for Children, 100 St. Jude's Street, Dept. EMIB, Boulder City, NV 89005.

New representative thanks supporters

To the editor:

I would like to thank all the residents of the new 21st State House district who voted in the Nov. 3 general election. A special thank you goes to those who supported Deborah Wyman for State Representative.

Elections are not won or lost solely on the quality of the candidate. Campaigns need organization, hard work and money. I thank my family, friends and volunteers who supported me. Without them, this victory would not be possible.

Deborah Wyman
State Representative-elect

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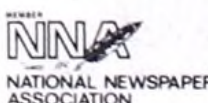
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Christina McNutt participated in the Older Adult Partial Hospital Program.

Another year Stresses of aging are program topic

Growing older may cause new stresses for the older adult such as frustration with physical limitations, the death of a spouse, or declining health.

At Annapolis Hospital-Westland Center, older adults are learning they still have plenty to live for by spending time with children and animals.

The Older Adult Partial Hospitalization Program, designed to improve the mental health of the older adult patient, offers Intergenerational Day in which the participants and children of Annapolis-

Westland staff members sing, paint, take walks, and share stories about their lives. Group members meet once every two months.

"One of the girls wanted me to sing a lullaby to her," one participant said.

Another participant added, "Kids and pets—they just seem to go together and I love them both."

Also, the older adults redevelop trust and love by petting and cuddling cats and rabbits from the hospital Pet Therapy Program, which is the only in-house program in the state of Michigan.

Homes sought for students

Interested in discovering a new culture or in sharing your own culture with someone from another country?

You can do both by becoming a host family for a foreign exchange student. The Youth Exchange Service (YES) needs families interested in hosting a 15 through 18-year-old stu-

dent from around the world. These students are due to arrive in January and will stay for the second semester of the 1992-93 school year.

These students speak fair to good English at the time of arrival, have excellent medical/accidental insurance and bring their own money.

Wayne to celebrate 'First Night'

By MARGO DEWEY
ANP Feature Editor

Wayne residents are getting ready to celebrate a momentous occasion tonight which is expected to be the first of many "First Night" extravaganzas in the community.

First Night is a New Year's Eve celebration of artistic and entertainment groups in the area which is provided for families in the community, according to Wayne resident Dick Clark, who is coordinating the event.

Clark's wife, Beth, is actually the instigator of First Night in Wayne.

"A few years ago, I was reading about First Night in a magazine," Beth Clark said. "It's very big on the East Coast. I heard one year Birmingham had one, but we missed it."

"I thought it would be very nice for Wayne. I work very closely with the Wayne Civitans, and they donated \$3,500 for the event which got us started."

Several individuals and businesses in the community are either donating time or money in order for First Night to take place, according to Clark.

"This will be an alcohol free family New Year's Eve celebration. Anyone interested in participating can buy a \$5 button which lets you in to all events occurring throughout the evening from 4 p.m. until midnight."

- Dick Clark

Volunteer organizations include the Civitans, Kiwanis, Junior Civitans and Rainbow Girls. Members of various churches are also lending a helping hand.

"This will be an alcohol free family New Year's Eve celebration," Clark said. "Anyone interested in participating can buy a \$5 button which lets you in to all events occurring throughout the evening from 4 p.m. until midnight."

Only 2,000 buttons will be sold in order to assure seating to all the events, according to Clark.

"It's eight hours of activities with puppet shows, music and adult entertainment," Clark said. "At 11:30 p.m. the event

will end up at Goudy Park behind City Hall where New Year's Eve will be brought in. We don't want this to be too much like the other ones. We want Wayne's First Night to be unique from the other cities."

Last year Birmingham had a First Night Crowd of more than 8,000 people.

"It is our hope that every service club, church group and community organization will become involved in the First Night project," Clark said.

"This is a community event to be run by the people of the city, not city run. This is a positive way for the community to get involved."

First Night will feature: Beth Katz and the Red Rug Puppet Show, O.J. Anderson, Children's Mime, The Fabulous Fakes, Impersonators, The Red Garter Band, William and Dy and Baffling Magic.

The events are planned at various locations in the city including the Methodist Church, First Congregational Church, St. Mary's Church, City Hall, State Wayne Theatre, the Wayne Fire Department, Historical Museum and the Wayne Police Department.

Buttons are on sale at City Hall, the Wayne Community Center and the Wayne Chamber of Commerce as well as various churches in the city.

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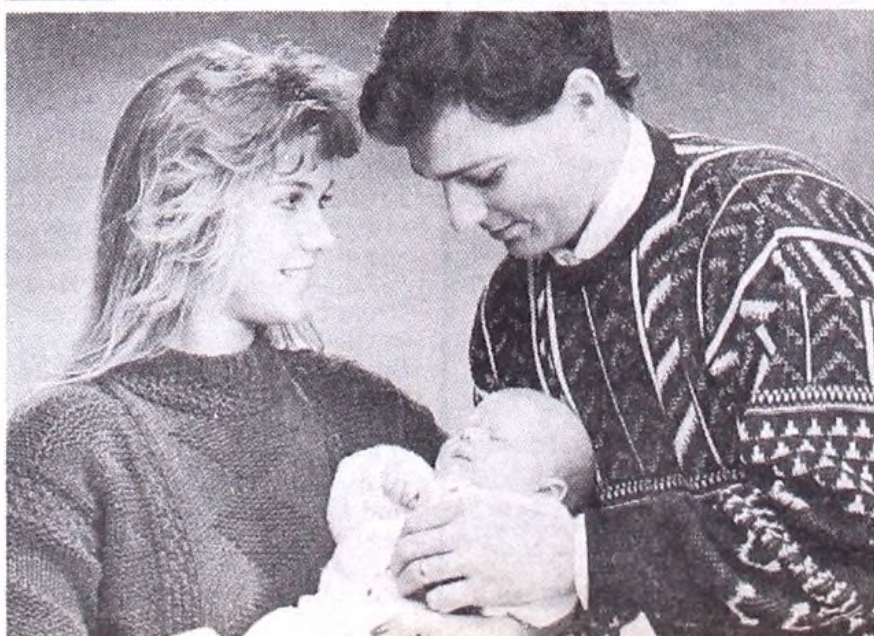
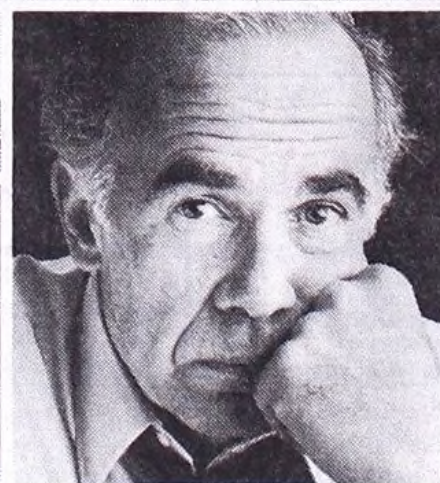
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Rumor of principal's transfer denied

By PATRICIA BROWN
ANP News Editor

Rumors that principals in the Wayne-Westland school district may soon be transferred to other schools are false, according to Superintendent of Schools Dr. Larry Thomas.

Thomas appeared at a "Coffee with the Principal" meeting at Schweitzer Elementary School recently which Principal Karen Obsniuk hosts once a month. During the meeting Thomas explained that principals should be moved every so many years, because after a while they are no longer effective, according to Wayne-Westland school board member Vicki Welty, who also attended the meeting.

"He made a statement that he believes principals are real successful, then they plateau and then they begin to decline," Welty said.

She also explained that Thomas was describing his philosophy and she did not know of any plans to move district principals.

Thomas also indicated that he was only stating his philosophy.

"There will be no principals moved around," Thomas said. "There has been no discussion to move them around."

Shortly after the meeting, the news that Obsniuk could be moving had spread.

"Well, of course, all of us in that room panicked that he was going to take our principal away," Welty said. "Within hours everyone had heard she was going to be moving."

Welty admitted she was concerned.

"The parent side of me was concerned because I didn't want to lose my principal," Welty said. "The school board member side of me could just hope that he knows what he is doing and that I trust that he knows what he is doing."

NEW ARRIVALS

Bond, Charles

Teresa and Charles Bond of Westland became the parents of a son, Charles Dewey Bond Jr., on Sept. 23, 1992 at Annapolis Hospital.

The infant weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces at birth.

He joins two sisters, Candice Marie and Cameo Nicole, at home.

Grandparents of the new arrival are Martha Louise Bond and Joseph Desbien, both of Westland.

Great-grandparents of the baby are Ed and Roberta Hill of Belleville.

Alyssa Clark

Chad and Davida Clark of Romulus became the parents of a daughter, Alyssa Nichole, born Dec. 21, 1992 at Hutzel Hospital in Detroit.

The baby weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces and measured 18 1/2 inches at birth.

Grandparents of the infant are John and Debbie Clark of Romulus and Dave and Libby Martinez of Detroit.

Zachary Zatirka

Kenneth and Simonne Zatirka of Wayne became the parents of a son, Zachary Thais, on Oct. 8, 1992 at Annapolis Hospital.

The new arrival weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces at birth.



A hollowed-out stone was one of the first lamps. Ancient peoples used plant fibers as a wick to burn fat placed in the hollow.



Congressman William Ford

Congressman names committee

Six local residents have been named to a citizens panel by United States Congressman William D. Ford.

Earlier this week, Ford named 14 citizens to an advisory panel to interview and evaluate 25 13th Congressional District students who have applied for nominations to the three U.S. military academies.

"The young people I meet each year and during the academy nominating process are a credit to their families or schools, and our commu-

nities," Ford said. "I view the nomination decision as one of the more important I make each year."

Ford views the students' responsibility as serving as representatives for the U.S.

"These young people will be our ambassadors at the academies," Ford said. "We are also making quite a large investment in them, so we want to send the best to take advantage of the opportunity for a great education and a rewarding career of military and public service."

The committee will begin interviews with nominees Jan. 11. They will evaluate the applicants based on their motivation, leadership qualities and potential and career ambitions, according to Ford.

Ford uses an all competitive system to choose academy nominees and relies on the citizens panel interviews as a major part of the decision-making process.

The citizens committee evaluations will be supple-

mented by academic records and college admission test scores. Extracurricular activities will also be considered. From this information, Ford will make several nominations to each of the three academies. The academies will then make the final determination.

Named to the committee were Jim Hinton of Westland, Randolph Gear of Romulus, David Madrid of Westland, David Alexander of Inkster, Becky Tavarozzi of Wayne and Pete Foster of Belleville.

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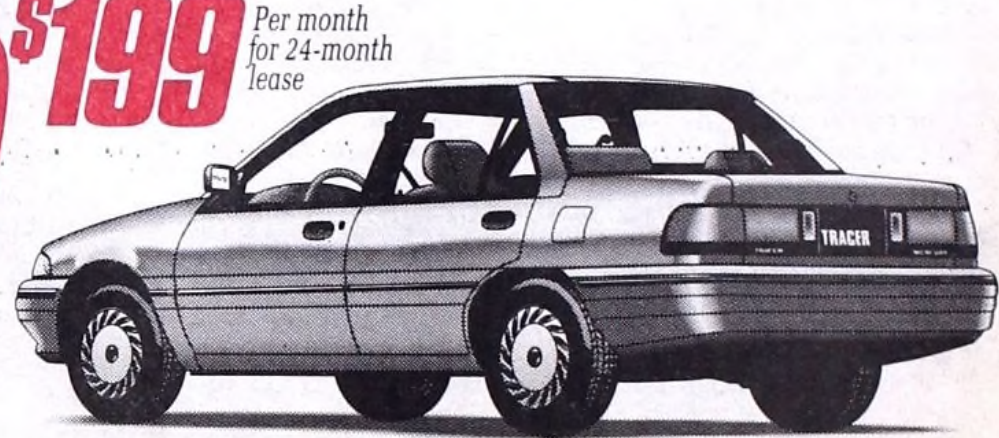
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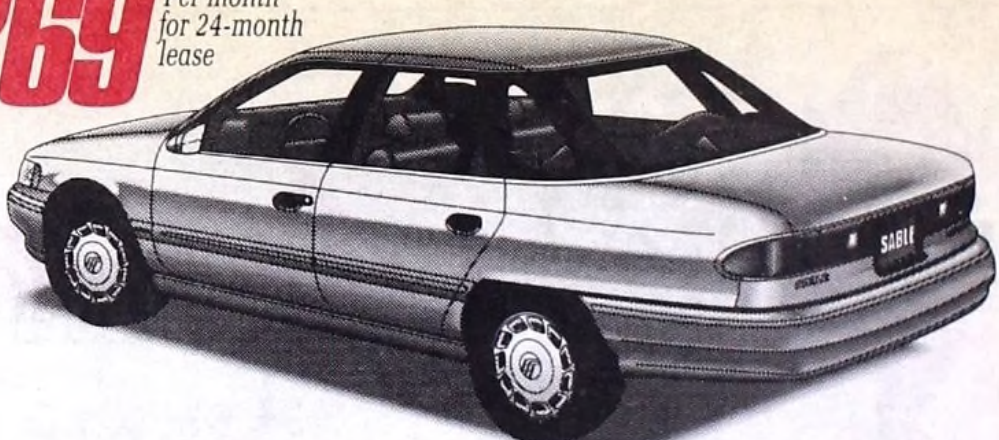
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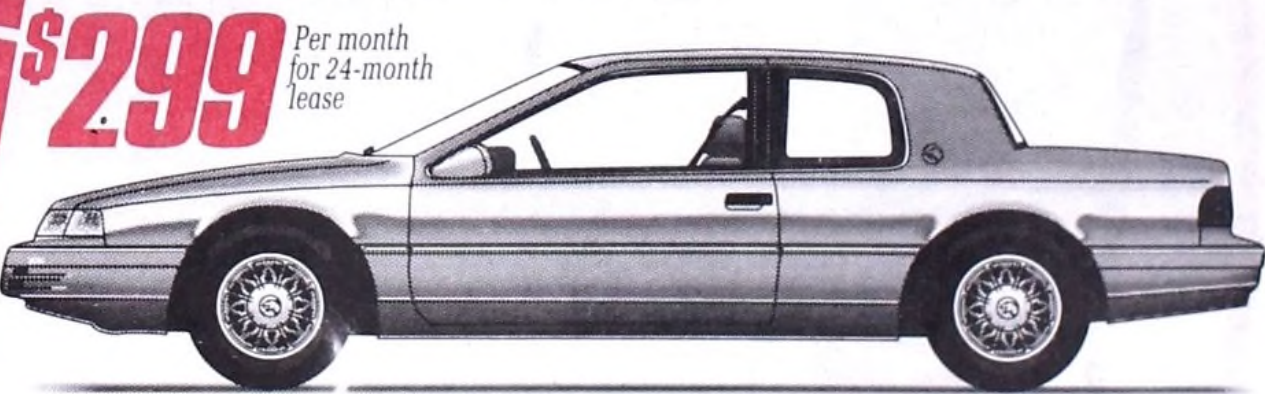
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Happy New Year

Economic improvement is predicted for 1993

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER
Belleville City Editor
By AL POST
ANP Staff Writer

With the economic downturn being named as the number one campaign issue in the November election, it is no wonder that business owners and consumers are waiting anxiously for the proposed "cure" promised by President-elect Bill Clinton.

During his first 100 days in office, Clinton has promised to spur economic growth, create jobs, gradually reduce the budget deficit and alleviate the health care crisis.

Economic experts have mixed opinions on the state of the economy. Most expect an upturn in the economy this spring, while others believe the signs of consumer confidence and the increase in sales are indications that the recession has already ended - perhaps, several months ago.

Keith Bruder, of Keith Bruder Landscape Design, reported that business was good in 1992 and he expects a continuation in 1993.

"I had an excellent year - one of the best ever," Bruder said. "Because more people stayed at home, they tended to spend money on improvements to their homes and grounds. Also, with lower interest rates, there was more money to spend," Bruder said. "People have been playing the waiting game to see what will happen when the new President takes office. After 12 years of the Reagan-Bush administrations, there will be changes that will affect the nation, the state and local communities. I'm optimistic, despite the fact that there still may be some craziness with adjustments by big businesses," Bruder said.

Gary Sampson, a member of the Romulus Chamber of Commerce, said "The U.S. is coming out of

the recession, and I see a good spring. There will be a definite increase," said Sampson, owner of Adventure Travel in Belleville. "One indication that the economy is picking up is that we've sold a lot of gift certificates for future trips in 1992."

Meanwhile Bob Paulausky, an auto salesman for John Rogin Buick-Isuzu Inc. of Wayne, expects 1993 to be a better economic period than the past year.

"My wife and I went to Las Vegas once or twice every year for many years, but we didn't go the past two," Paulausky said.

"But," he smiled, "we are going once or twice in 1993. Many people are showing a lot more financial confidence and are expressing positive feelings about the pending economic turnaround."

Paulausky, who has sold and leased cars for the past 17 years, said the public mood seems to be cautiously optimistic.

The '80s recession was tough because of the extremely high interest rates, Paulausky said. However the '90s recession is more across the employment board, he said.

"Car prices are much higher than a decade ago, but we still expect that car sales will improve in 1993," he said. "The increase will not be dramatic, but there will be an increase."

Similar feelings were expressed by Suncoast Travel agent Bridget Kelly, who expects area residents to "spend more in 1993, but to do it cautiously."

A great many travel plans will include Las Vegas and Mexico, as well as seven-day cruises to the Caribbean resort areas, Kelly said. For couples and small groups with more time to travel, Kelly said, visits to Egypt and cruises down the Nile River are becoming popular.

John Mistak, vice president of Walter's Appliances in Canton Township, said despite the fear of auto plant closings, numerous shoppers are coming into the four store outlets and replacing all the family's kitchen appliances at one time.

"Or they are upgrading the family's television to 35-inch screen models or larger," he said.

"Now that the media has changed its tune on the economic outlook in the U.S., we are seeing most holiday spending. In fact, the week before Christmas has been unbelievable for sales. Shoppers flock to the malls early in the morning and then come to stores like ours midday," Mistak said.

"Since the media switched gears the day after the election and said economic factors are now growing more positive," Mistak said, "we are seeing customers buying the more expensive brands, knowing they will get much better long-term service from them."

The exception to the positive comments about 1993 came from James Tousignant, a representative of All Rite No Fault Auto Insurance Agency in Wayne.

Tousignant said he feels the economy "hasn't hit bottom yet."

Tousignant, who formerly worked in the auto body business, said he still is seeing the spinoffs of auto plant layoffs. More and more people are having to change job styles like he did, he said, and also need "Plan B" job projects to keep them from going belly-up economically.

Tousignant said many people are refinancing their house payments today "just so they can keep them" and sign on for car insurance to get the paperwork needed in case they get stopped by the police.

Question: What do you see for the new year?



Keith Bruder, Belleville, landscape design
I'm optimistic.



Gary Sampson, travel agency owner, Belleville
I foresee a good spring.



Bob Paulausky, car/truck salesman
Economy is turning around.



Bridget Kelly, travel agent
People are still cautious.



John Mistak, store vice president
Days of doom and gloom are over.



James Tousignant, insurance representative
We haven't hit bottom yet.

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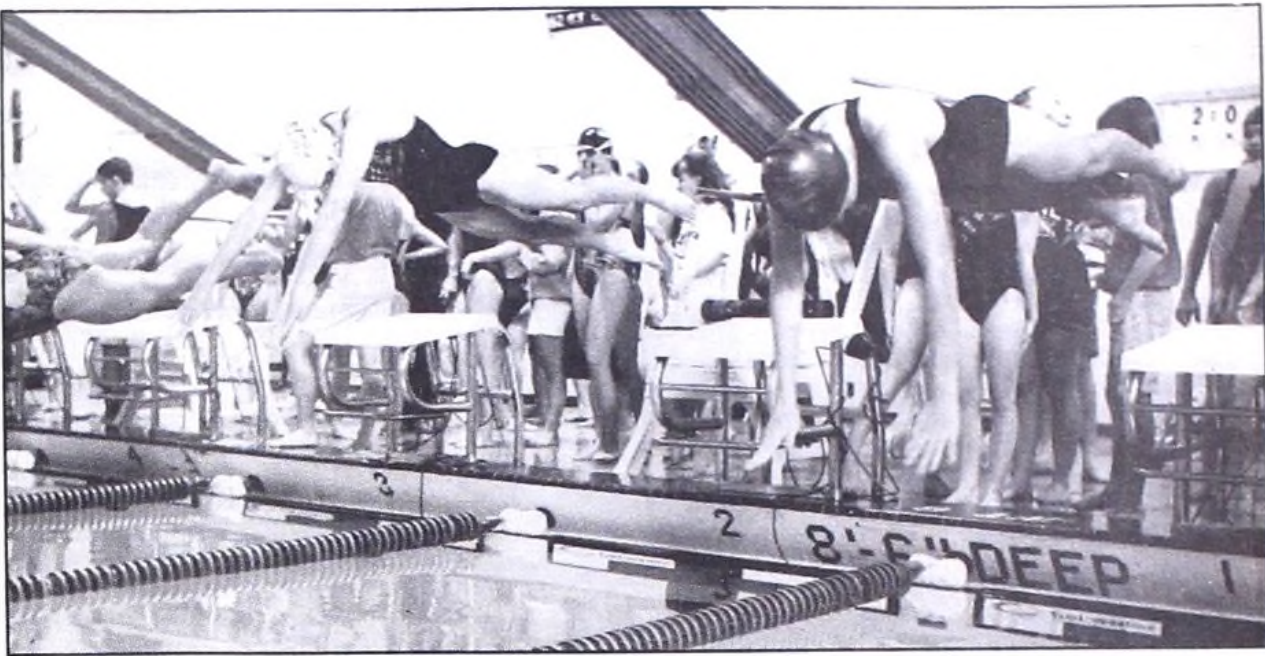
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Kristin Stackpoole

One of the most versatile swimmers to compete for Plymouth-Salem, Stackpoole captained the 1992 squad. A senior, she helped set a varsity record in the 200-yard medley relay. She also has an excellent 1:06.23 in the backstroke, and has posted a 27.14 for the 50-free style. She has a 59.81 for the 100-free style. Stackpoole has been clocked in an impressive 2:28.82 for the 200-yard medley. A four-year varsity performer, Stackpoole has a 3.4 grade point average.

Karyn Behnke

A proven sprinter, Behnke was chosen to captain Plymouth-Salem next year. This multi-talented swimmer has covered the 50-yard freestyle in 27.34 and touched in for the 100-yard freestyle in 1:02.63. She will definitely be among the title contenders in the Western Lakes Conference in 1993. Not only does Behnke excel in the swimming pool, but she also boasts an excellent 3.5 GPA.

Alysia Sofios

Considered the best diver in Plymouth-Salem history, Sofios has another year of eligibility remaining. And coaches believe she has the talent to become one of the best in Michigan. Sofios owns the varsity diving record (for six dives) and finished third at the Class A regionals. That finish earned her a trip to the state finals. A very talented young athlete, Sofios also is a standout in the classroom. She has a 3.5 GPA.

Andrea Bien

Only a freshman, Bien has already made waves in the Western Lakes Conference where she is considered a tough competitor and someone to reckon with. Bien's credentials include a 27.76 for the 50-yard freestyle and a 1:02.82 for the 100 free. She has a 2:14.71 to her credit for the 200-yard freestyle. "Great potential and the ability and desire to be a very good swimmer" is how coaches describe this All-Area swimmer.

Melanie Bosse

The Most Improved Swimmer in the 1992 Plymouth-Salem lineup, Bosse is "every coach's dream". Coaches use such adjectives as talented, hard-working, coachable to describe this sophomore who has a perfect 4.0 GPA. Bosse has an outstanding 5:32.32 for the 500-yard freestyle. And she also has been clocked in at 1:07.70 for the 100-yard backstroke. Her times for the 50-yard freestyle (26.31), 100-free style (58.32) and 200-yard freestyle (2:05.73) reflect the wide-range of ability.

Canton, Salem dominate All-area

It will not surprise anyone who has been following high school swimming throughout the 1992 season that Plymouth-Salem and Plymouth-Canton have two of the finest girls' teams in the state.

Coach Hooker Wellman and the Canton Chiefs brought the curtains down on an impeccable 9-0 dual meet season. They also captured the Western Division championship in the Western Lakes Conference and finished second only to Livonia Stevenson, a Class A state-ranked team.

Canton also produced an All-State swimmer in junior Jill Mellis, who owns five varsity records and proved she is one of the top talents in the state of Michigan.

Is it with pride that The Associated Newspapers Sports Staff has picked Mellis as the 1992 Prep Swimmer of the Year.

Mellis' name and her accomplishments come to the surface in almost all of the events. She is the also the key to Canton winning relays. She won gold medals in both the 200-yard individual medley and the 100-yard butterfly at the Western Lakes Conference championships.

At the state, this outstanding talent managed to pick up a fourth-place medal in the 100-yard breaststroke and that performance earned for her a coveted All-State berth.

Not only is Mellis an outstanding swim talent, she is a remarkable student. She boasts a 4.0 average.

In fact, all of the All-Area selections this year have a 3.2 or better GPA.

And, before we leave the All-Area Swim scene, the ANP sports staff also put together the lineups for its All-Area relay teams.

The Canton 200-medley relay team, made up of Pam Pritchard, Selena Bastine, Jill Mellis and Suzan Daoust, is the top team in the area. The Chiefs won their conference and qualified for state and with two of the four (Mellis and Daoust) returning next year, it will be tough to pry them out of that spot a year from now.

Jill Barnes

Another key to the Canton swim dynasty is Jill Barnes, who was one of the top performers for the Chiefs throughout the year and provided them with some big points at the conference championships. Barnes has turned in a 1:06.19 for the 100-yard backstroke. She finished 12th in that event and also 12th in the 100-yard breaststroke at the conference championships. With another year to compete, this hard-working junior will chalk up a slew of honors before she wraps up her prep career.

Sonya Sims

Representing John Glenn on the All-Area, Sims competed in all of the freestyle events and relays for the Rockets. Sims posted a personal best of 1:05.79 in the 100-yard butterfly at Salem in the league conference meet. A junior, coaches say that "Sonya is so mentally tough that once she gets ahead of her opponents she never lets them get back into contention." A versatile athlete, she also competes in track and gymnastics and enjoys drama, surfing and reading as hobbies. Sims also cards a 3.5 point average.

Amy Homan

An excellent leader, Homan was one of Salem's captains this year. The 17-year-old senior is among the top performers in the 50 and 100-yard breaststroke events. She has a 34.65 for the 50 and a 1:16.26 in the 100, considered among the best times in the Western Lake Conference. Her achievements in the pool and in the classroom also earned her the Coaches Award for 1991.

Danielle Yockey

Yockey's senior year was her best year, according to Canton coaches. She reached the conference finals in the 50-yard freestyle and finished sixth. Yockey also earned a seventh-place finish in the 100-yard freestyle (57.50). She was a member of the Chiefs' medal-winning 200 and 400-yard freestyle relay teams that qualified for state. She also was voted the Most Improved Swimmer on the team by her teammates.

Mandi Ras

As a junior, Ras won a gold medal in the Western Lakes Conference. You can only speculate what she will accomplish as a senior. Ras earned a first place in the 50-yard freestyle and also qualified for state in that event. She helped set the 200-yard medley relay varsity record and holds records for the 50-yard freestyle and the 200-yard freestyle relay. A state qualifier for the past three years, her times for the 100 free (55.96), 50-butterfly (29.87) and 200-individual medley (2:31.28) are among the best in the area.

Sara Casillas

Considered one of the toughest competitors on the 1992 Plymouth-Salem team, Casillas is only a freshman who has a wide range of skills. She turned in a 26.88 for the 50-yard freestyle and also boasts a 29.56 for the 50-yard butterfly. In the 100-butterfly, Casillas has covered the distance in 1:09.50. She is also a member of the Salem record-setting 200-yard medley and 200-yard freestyle relay teams.

Amy Parry

With an opportunity to become a state caliber swimmer, Parry definitely is a swimmer to catch. She's a freshman who is setting a fast pace: 28.16 for the 50-yard freestyle; 33.88 for the 50-yard breaststroke; 1:15.10 for the 100-yard breaststroke and a 2:31.17 for the 200-yard individual medley. Three years hence, Parry could be leading the state in many of these events. "She's got a lot of potential and, believe me, she will be a state title contender", coaches say.

Pam Pritchard

A senior captain of the Plymouth-Canton team, Pam Pritchard swam backstroke on the 200-yard medley relay which captured the gold medal at the Western Lakes Athletic Conference championships. The relay qualified for the state finals. She also finished ninth in the 100-yard freestyle and sixth in the 100-yard backstroke in the conference. Pritchard helped set a varsity record in the 200-medley relay. Her best time for the 100-free style is a 57.76.

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Girls' swim team

Sara Larson

With credentials that include a 2:18.98 for the 200-yard individual medley, Larson was a sure bet to break into the All-Area team. And a year from now when she will be a senior, Larson could be unstoppable in the IM as well as breaststroke events. She finished with a sixth-place award in the conference in her speciality and that effort qualified her for the state finals. She also finished among the top six in the 100-yard breaststroke at the conference.



Susan Pritchard

A state-qualifier as a sophomore, Susan Pritchard is one of the blue chip freestylers in the area. The Chiefs also used Pritchard's versatility as a swimmer in the 200-medley relay as well as the 200-freestyle relay. And she never failed to give her team "100 percent". She is a very talented young lady, the coaching staff noted, "and we're just happy to have someone like her on our team."



Suzan Daoust

Also making the trip to the state finals thanks to her performances in the relays, Daoust is another one of those reliable swimmers Canton will bank on to retain the division and challenge for the conference championships next year. Daoust also finished in the top 12 at the conference in both the 50 and the 100-yard freestyle. She was a member of the Chiefs' record-setting 200 and 400-yard freestyle relay teams which qualified for state.



Katie McWhirter

When a sophomore finishes with bronze medals in two individuals events in such a prestigious swim league as the Western Lakes, you know she is good and has a future in the sport. That's what Katie McWhirter accomplished this year. She finished in the top three in both the 200 and the 500-yard freestyle events at the conference and qualified for state. Her talent also was used on the Canton 400-yard freestyle relay. A very gifted swimmer who has a great future, according to the coaches.



Jill Mellis

The "Swimmer of the Year" accolade has to go to Mellis, who finished first in the 100-yard butterfly and picked up her second gold with a victory in the 200-yard individual medley at the 1992 Western Lakes Conference championships. This 16-year-old junior also earned "All-State" honors as she finished 4th in the state in the 100-yard breaststroke. She was 11th in the 100-yard butterfly. Needless to say, this dynamic swimmer is being eyed by scores of collegiate scouts.



Selena Bastine

A record-shattering performance and a fourth place finish in the 100-yard breaststroke in the conference are among some of the impressive accomplishments that Bastine has on her senior swim sheet. One of the captains of the Canton team, Bastine's best time for the breaststroke is 1:11.6. She helped set a varsity record in the 200-medley relay.



Sonya McWhirter

An all-around swimmer, Sonya McWhirter was voted to captain the Chiefs in her senior year. She contributed a 13th place in the individual medley at the conference championships and also finished 16 in the gruelling 500-yard freestyle. Called a "very good team leader" by her coaches, McWhirter is another one of those outstanding academic-athletes who the Chiefs could always rely upon.



Jennifer Warnke

A fifth-place finisher in the 100-yard backstroke at the Western Lakes Conference championships, Warnke has yet another year of varsity competition ahead of her. Definitely one of the starlets in the Canton lineup, Warnke's best time for the breaststroke event is a 1:05.22. She also finished 16th in the 200-yard freestyle in the conference. Tagged as one of the building blocks upon which the Chiefs will build next year, watch for Warnke on the winner's dais when the 1993 conference championships.



Misty Maniez

With a pair of gold medals and two diving records safely stashed away, Maniez had a near-perfect dual meet diving record this season. Her only loss this year was to state champ Jessica Riccobono of Ypsilanti. Maniez won the Wayne Invitational and also placed first at the Wolverine "A" Conference championships. She placed sixth at the regionals and 17th in the state. Her 235.60 points (six dives) and 377.35 (11 dives) are Wayne school records.



Beth Berger

Another rising comet on the Canton club, Berger is a junior who made the Chiefs' 200-yard freestyle relay team a winner throughout most of the 1992 campaign. Considered a "very good" sprinter, Berger should be able to parlay her experience and her dedication to hard work into a senior year that coaches believe "will be her best."



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Patrick Payne enjoys his prize. ANP photo by Larry DiVizio

White Christmas

Contest makes dream come true

By MARGO DEWEY
ANP Feature Editor

Wayne resident Patrick Payne, 9, decided to enter the "I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas" contest because it just might be his last white Christmas for a long time.

Payne recently found out he was the winner of the Wayne Parks and Recreation guaranteed white Christmas contest. He informed Parks and Recreation officials that he is moving to Mexico soon and, "If I don't get a white Christmas this year, I won't have one again for a long time."

Members of the Wayne Chamber of Commerce judged the event. One winner and four runners-up were selected, according to Ted D'Pulos, director of the Wayne Parks and Recreation department. The snow is collected from the ice rink at the Wayne Community Center and trucked to the winner's home each year.

The participants were asked to write in 25 words or less why they are dreaming of a white Christmas.

"The contest started in December," D'Pulos said. "We've

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I love winter, building snow men, sledding down a steep hill, but nothing is better than hitting my sister with a snowball. I love winter.
- Kurt Wenzel

been running this for more than 11 years. The last two years we didn't have to deliver because Mother Nature provided it."

Besides receiving a blanket of white snow, Payne also won \$30 in Santa Money. Each runner-up received \$20.

Payne's mother, Kathie, said the family is moving because her husband, Karl, has obtained a job in Mexico.

"He works for Ford, so he has a job down there," Payne said. "This is the second time we've moved to Mexico. We were really pleased to win the contest because we might not have a white Christmas for a very long time."

The Paynes have lived in Wayne for more than six years. Patrick has three sisters and one brother.

"We're really going to miss Wayne, and we're going to miss a white Christmas," Kathie Payne said.

Jesse Kyle, 6, was one of the runners-up. She said "My grandma always liked a white Christmas, but died in September, and this would be my present to her and I could go sledding."

John Hamelt, 9, was another runner-up. He said "My grandparents are visiting from Florida for Christmas. My grandma has lung cancer. She's been very sick. A white Christmas would bring her happiness."

Christina Oerbee, 9, was a runner-up. She said "With my yard full of snow, my heart would glow, Christmas would be complete, Here my friends would meet, and that could be my treat."

Kurt Wenzel, 11, was the fourth runner-up. He said "I love winter, building snowmen, sledding down a steep hill, but nothing is better than hitting my sister with a snowball. I love winter."

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Council refuses mayor's request for copy machine

By PATRICIA BROWN
ANP News Editor

Members of the Westland City Council were not in the giving mood last Monday night when they unanimously denied Mayor Robert Thomas' request to purchase a copier machine for his office.

Thomas had requested a new copier machine, he said, because the one he currently has doesn't function properly and he explained that the cost to maintain it could almost pay for the new machine.

His request was met with criticism from council member Ken Mehl who told the mayor that he and his staff could walk next door to the clerk's office to use the copier machine.

"We spend so much money on copiers that it's almost a laugh," Mehl said.

Mehl was also critical of the \$8,000 copier the mayor and his staff had chosen. He asked council member Glenn Anderson, who originally favored the purchase, if the clerk's office makes more copies than any other department in the city,

alluding to the need for a machine with the features requested by the mayor.

Anderson agreed and then joined Mehl in questioning the need for such an elaborate copier machine.

"The city clerk's office doesn't even have one of these," Mehl said. "The other people in the building use the copier machine downstairs."

Thomas explained that his staff has also attempted to use the machine located in the clerk's office, but because the demand is so great, they are forced to wait in line.

Anderson questioned Thomas' failure to request the funds for the copier machine during budget meetings earlier this year.

When Thomas became mayor in 1990, he said the machine left behind by the previous administration was in poor shape. Rather than purchase a new machine, he opted to purchase a machine from the building department for \$800. He and his staff have used that copier machine since that time, he said.



Happy holidays

Hundreds of area senior citizens participated in the annual Westland Friendship Center Christmas party earlier this month. May Wojkowski made sure she told Santa Claus what she wanted for Christmas. Seniors also enjoyed a dinner buffet. Ernie Pellow was on hand to test the skill of the punch makers. ANP photo by Ken Garner



Administrators recommend latch key program remain at YMCA

By PATRICIA BROWN
ANP News Editor

After stating he would consider having school district officials operate the latch key program, Superintendent of Schools Dr. Larry Thomas has changed his mind.

The idea came after an alleged assault of a youth at one of the 10 latch key sites within the school district and operated by YMCA employees. Thomas stated in October that he would investigate eliminating the YMCA program.

Associate Superintendent of Instruction and Planning Dr. Norine Blake and Executive Director of Instruction Jim Edwards presented the results of a feasibility study completed to determine the impact of discontinuing the YMCA program last week.

"It's my recommendation to the board that based upon cost

we continue with the YMCA," Edwards said. "It's much less expensive than it would cost us to run it."

Approximately 247 families in the school district use the services provided by the YMCA latch key program, according to Edwards.

After meeting with representatives from the YMCA, Thomas was still concerned about the employees hired to work with students before and after school.

"When it comes to personnel, we will have some say in anyone they hire and when it comes to dismissing anyone we would have say in that, too," Thomas said. "We would have some say in what is done in the classroom, too."

Thomas said he is opposed to a babysitting service and wants students to have activities offered to them while they are at the latch key site.

School officials are also interested in expanding the program which YMCA officials found acceptable.

"They are more than happy in participating to expand the program," Edwards said. "It is our intent to try and provide latch key sites at schools throughout the district."

The cost of the program is also a concern for school district officials, Edwards stated. "We need to offer a program that almost anyone can afford," Edwards said.

YMCA Director Richard Pawlowski agreed with the recommendation that families of all incomes be provided the opportunity to join the program.

"No one will be denied access because of lack of funds," Pawlowski said. "We want to work with the school district and we want to build a bigger and better program."

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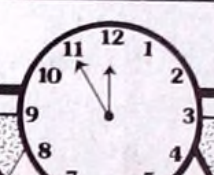
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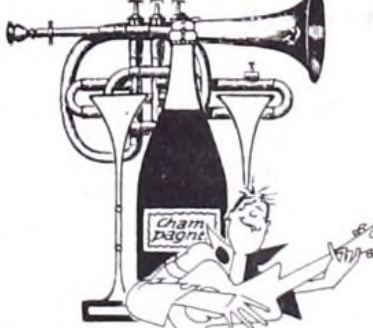
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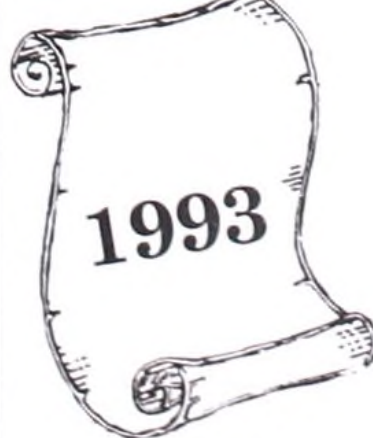
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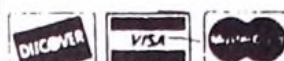
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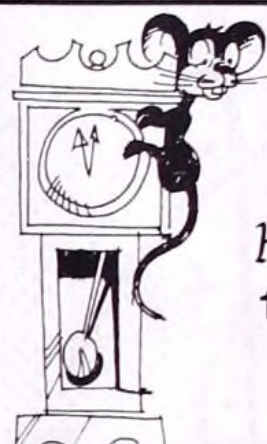
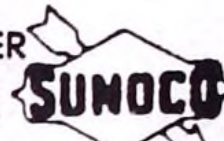
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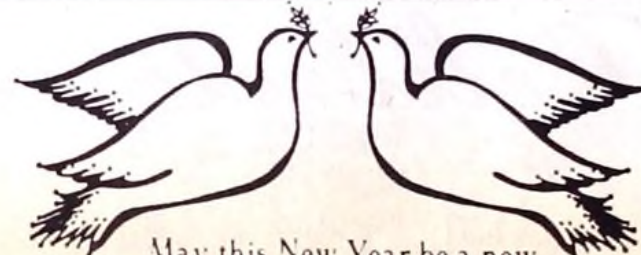
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THE NEW YEAR
LOOKS BRIGHT!

May good times abound
and laughter resound,
as you enjoy a happy
and fun filled year!
You've been a pleasure
to know and to serve!

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May this New Year be a new
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1993

to our many
friends and
patrons from
the staff of

Synergy Solution Inc.
8541 N. Wayne Rd. • Westland
522-0070



To all our Patients
Seasons Greetings from
Dr. J. R. Kroell
Kroell Family Dentistry
32232 Michigan Ave.
Wayne, MI 48184
721-7624

Joyous New Year

**VICTORY CAB**

7116 S. Wayne Rd. • Romulus
274-5444



May happy surprises greet you every new day of
this brand New Year! Many thanks, friends.

**QUALITY TRANSMISSION**

1251 S. Wayne Road • Westland
Between Palmer & Avondale
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HAPPY NEW YEAR!



Here's
hoping
you find
your
pot-o'-gold!

TACO BELL - WESTLAND

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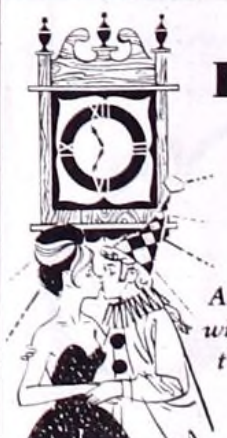
GREETINGS

May every avenue you travel bring you success!

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Romulus
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Romulus Auto Parts
36542 Goddard
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Happy
New
Year

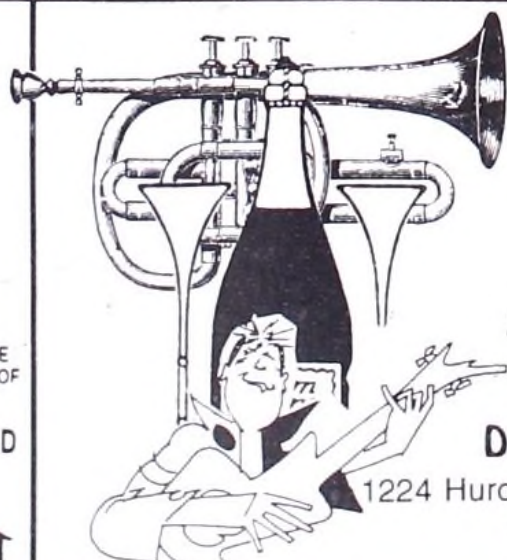
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wish old friends
the very best.

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34651 FORD RD. • WESTLAND
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Have a
Blast

May this New Year bring you joy!

DALY DRIVE-IN

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MAY THE NEW YEAR
BRING WORLD PEACE

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greetings from

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NEW
YEAR

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Westland
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BAHAMA CRUISE

5 Days/4 Nights, overboard. Corporate rates to public. Limited tickets. \$249/couple. 407-767-8100 Ext. 525, M-F, 9AM-9PM.

PATSY LITTLE

of E. Huron River Drive has been selected to receive a FREE dozen of carnations.

MAIN STREET FLOWERS
210 Main St., Belleville
697-7400
Pick up before 1-6-93.

6. Legal Notices

CITY OF BELLEVILLE ORDINANCE NO. 92-284

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 56-77, AS AMENDED, BEING AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH RATES AND CHARGES TO BE MADE FOR SEWER AND WATER USE.

THE CITY OF BELLEVILLE ORDINANCE NO. 92-284

Section 1. That Ordinance No. 56-77, as amended, entitled "The City of Belleville Water and Sewer Ordinance" be and is hereby further amended by changing Sections 7.2, 7.3, 8.2 and 8.3, which amended Sections shall read as follows:

Section 7.2 SERVICE CHARGE. A fixed, ready-to-serve charge for each meter installed by the City of Belleville and Eighty-Five Cents (\$14.85) for each three (3) months, or fraction thereof, when billing is done on a quarterly basis, and Four Dollars and Ninety-Five Cents (\$4.95) per month, or fraction thereof, when billing is done on a monthly basis, shall be added and become a part of the customer's water bill.

Section 7.3 WATER RATES. For all water consumed, a charge of One Dollar and Twelve Cents (\$1.12) will be made for each one thousand (1,000) gallons of water consumed over ten thousand (10,000) gallons in any one quarter.

Section 8.2 SEWAGE DISPOSAL RATES FOR WATER CUSTOMERS. In addition to the water rates established hereunder, each water customer shall be made a sewer disposal charge of One Dollar and Ninety-Five Cents (\$1.95) for each one thousand (1,000) gallons of water consumed, to cover the cost of disposing of the customer's sewage.

Section 8.3 SEWAGE DISPOSAL RATES FOR CUSTOMERS WITH PRIVATE WATER SOURCE. In the event that a customer has a private water source and the customer's sewage is dumped into City lines, the City shall require that a meter be set in such sewage connecting line, or private water line, at the sole cost to the customer, which meter shall be read and billed by the City to the customer at the rate of Three Dollars and Eighty-Six Cents (\$3.86) per one thousand (1,000) gallons consumed, in the same manner as water, or in the event the installation of a meter is not practical, the Department shall estimate the use made of such facility and may contract with the customer for such use.

SECTION 2. REPEAL. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in the conflict herewith are hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall become effective with billings on and after January 1, 1993.

AUTHENTICATION

This is to certify that the undersigned do hereby authenticate the foregoing record of the Ordinance therein set forth.

Glenn Silvens, Mayor
Agnes Frisch, City Clerk

CITY OF BELLEVILLE COUNCIL MINUTES
Regular Meeting
December 21, 1992

A Regular Meeting of the Council of the City of Belleville was called to order at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 6 Main Street, by Mayor Silvens with Councilmen Smith, Fields, McGuire, Talaga and City Manager Przygocki present.

Also present: John Day, Mike Georges, W. Murphy, Wayne County Airport representatives, reporters.

Motion by Fields, supported by McGuire, to approve Council Minutes of December 7.
Motion carried unanimously.

8. Entertainment

BINGO

TUESDAY

Bingo * Bingo
MKJ Hall
Metro Mall
Tuesday Night
Doors open
6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY

A.M. LEGION
POST 200
6:30 P.M.
11800 Michael
Taylor
948-8399

Motion by Smith, supported by Talaga, to approve Accounts Payable List.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Fields, supported by McGuire, to receive Police Report for November.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Smith, supported by Fields, to open Public Hearing for proposed water and sewer rate increase at 7:32 pm.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Fields, supported by McGuire, there being no written or oral comments received to close Public Hearing at 7:45 pm.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Smith, supported by McGuire, to open Public Hearing for 1993 Block Grant Funds at 7:46 pm.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by McGuire, supported by Smith, there being no written or oral comments received to close Public Hearing at 7:50 pm.
Motion carried unanimously.

Representatives of Wayne County Airport presented the noise mitigation measures to be implemented and proposed airport expansion.

Motion by Smith, supported by Fields, to adopt Ordinance 92-284 to provide for water rates to be \$1.12 per 1,000 gallons and sewer rates to be \$1.93 per 1,000 gallons.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by McGuire, supported by Fields, to allocate 1993 Block Grant Funds as follows: Administration - \$6,850; West Columbia Sewer Project - \$60,000; September Days - \$950; Telecare - \$700.
Ayes: Fields, McGuire, Smith, Talaga
Nays: Silvens
Motion carried.

Motion by Smith, supported by McGuire, to authorize Change Orders #2 & #3 with L.J.S. Construction Company at no increase in cost.
Motion carried unanimously.

Sealed bids for plastic recycling bags were received as follows:

Tidy Tom's, Inc. \$5,594.20
Lower Huron Supply \$8,283.40

Motion by Talaga, supported by Smith, to adopt 1993 Schedule of Meetings of the Council and direct City Clerk to post.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Smith, supported by McGuire, to set January 25 at 6:00 pm for work study session of the Council.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Talaga, supported by McGuire, to adjourn Meeting 8:45 pm.
Agnes Frisch
City Clerk
Publish: December 31, 1992

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Tuesday, January 5, 1993 at 10:00 am at Westland Impound Yard, 37501 Cherry Hill Road, Westland, County of Wayne, Michigan, a public auction of the following vehicles will be held:

1976 Ford Pickup F15HLCG8914
1971 Oldsmobile 2 dr 342571R157996
1976 Chevy Pickup CLN1458225800
1981 Dodge Station Wagon 1B3K49B6F235356
1985 Oldsmobile 2 dr 1G3NF27U4FM231185
1984 Dodge Omni 2 dr 1B3B244CBED387456
1979 Chevy Malibu 4 dr 1W19H91417159
1982 Datsun Stanza 4 dr JN1HT13580T040345
1979 Dodge Van B21UE9K352457
1968 Ford Mustang 2 dr 8F01T163749
1979 Oldsmobile Delta 88 4 dr 3L69F9M167548
1977 Oldsmobile Cutlass 2 dr 3G37R7M183148

Dated: December 28, 1992
By: Westland Police Dept.
Publish: December 31, 1992

AUTOBODY

Helpers with body and paint shop back ground. Wanting to learn all phases of prototype auto construction.

Synthetex Inc.
15850 Wahnman
Romulus
(1-275 and Eureka)

DENTAL OFFICE helper, 4 day week, 263-5051.

DIRECT CARE WORKER instruction, care and treatment of adult special population, full time, benefits, no experience required, near Metro Airport, 753-4804.

DIRECT CARE worker needed. Wayne, Michigan area, experience required, must have group home training part 1, also valid Michigan drivers license required. Call 846-0376 9am-4:30pm.

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Open Sun-Fri
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wanted for senior subsidized apt. building, knowledge of HUD subsidies helpful, must be dependable and personable. E-qual Housing Opportunity-E-qual Opportunity Employer, 721-0660.

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CITY OF WESTLAND CLERICAL POSITION

Annual Rate
\$17,399 to \$21,749
The City of Westland is accepting applications for clerical positions such as Secretary 1, Account Clerk, Switchboard/ Radio Operator for its new Civil Service Examination, an employee must pass a 40 wpm typing test.

The positions require light typing, use of computer terminals, some knowledge of business math, and modern office practices as well as a high school diploma.

There will be a written and oral examination. The deadline for applications is January 29th, 1993. Make application in person between 9am and 4pm at City Hall (Personnel Department), 35501 Ford Road, Westland, MI 48185.

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an EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

DIRECT CARE WORKERS

Needed for clean, organized group homes in Westland, Inkster, Woodhaven and Romulus. All shifts available with benefits. Will train. Call 722-2221.

DIRECTORS for latch-key, day care and aides. Day care director. Apply at 827 S. Wayne Rd in Westland. 721-7044.

EXPERIENCED COOK needed, part time, days, evenings & weekends, Romulus area, call 753-4434 after 2 pm.

EXPERIENCED HELP needed. Housekeepers from 8am to 5pm. Host from 5am to 1pm. Laundry person from 7am to 4pm. Apply at: **Merriman Executive Inn 7600 Merriman Road Romulus, MI 48174.**

FINISHERS PAINTERS HELPER

Prototype builder looking for qualified personnel in exterior auto body development area. Surfacing and detail background needed. Will train additional skills.

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FUN JOBS

Start immediately. Various positions open from ground floor to upper management. Must enjoy music, fun and working with people. No experience necessary, \$9 to start. **WE TRAIN.**
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89. Apts. for Rent

WOODCREST VILLA

Wheels

Lexus joins race to the top

By CRAIG GARRETT
ANP Staff Writer

Edsel Ford, great-grandson of the auto pioneer and current director of the Ford Motor credit division, said recently the new Lincoln Mark VIII is targeted particularly at owners of the Lexus SC 400 coupe. Lofty goals considering the SC 400 is consistently rated at the top of its class and recently was voted Motor Trend's Import Car of the Year.

In 1993 Lexus design engineers have added several refinements to the surreal F-16 fighter jet body style. Most apparent are the passenger-side airbag (SRS), the automatic seatbelt system, a

tweaked engine and tougher suspension, a pre-wired mobile phone option and a more "intelligent" transmission.

The 32-valve V8 is the same motor used in the LS 400, but tuned for a more resonant sound. Rated at 250 horses and 260 ft.-lbs. of torque, the SC gobbles plenty of road and provides smooth Mach 1 passing speed. Yet, driven intelligently, the coupe uses surprisingly little fuel at an EPA tested 18 mpg city and 23 highway.

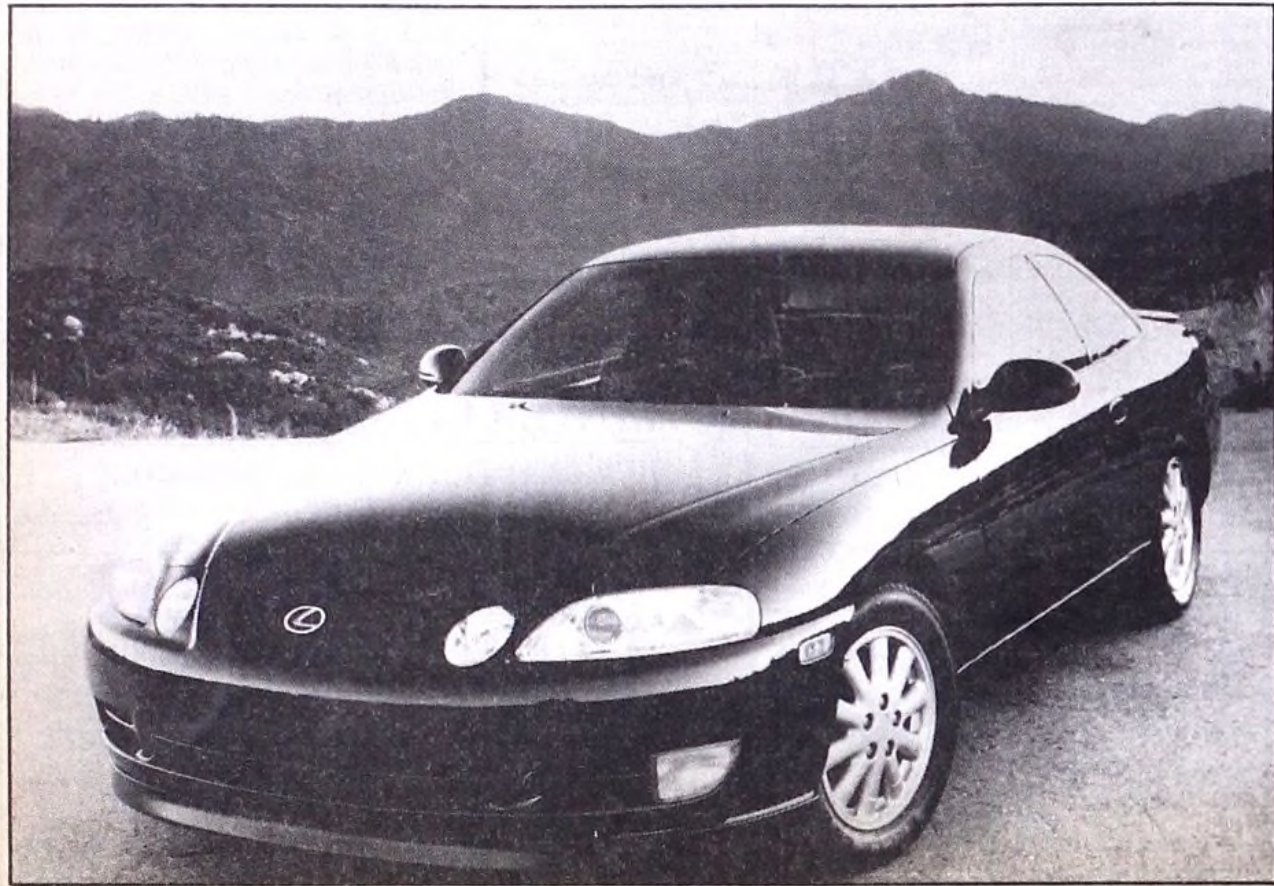
Double-wishbone suspension coupled with rear wheel drive, gas shocks, progressive rack-and-pinion steering and suspension bars attached

directly to the body allows the driver a tight, comfortable ride at upper-end highway speeds.

A 4-speed electronically controlled transmission is new this year featuring the "intelligent control system" (ECT-i) which retards ignition timing during shifts. SC also is faster off the line with a lower rear-end gear.

Additional standard features in 1993 include leather seats, cruise control, power seats and automatic climate control. Also standard is the two-driver memory system that brings seats, outside mirrors and the steering wheel back into place with the touch of a button.

Good luck, Edsel.



1993 Lexus SC 400

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'90 BERETTA GT

36,000 1 owner
miles, auto, air

\$8,995



'92 LUMINA EURO

low miles
loaded

\$12,995



'90 GEO STORM

Automatic,
Air

\$5,995



'92 CHEVY S-10 BLAZER 4X4

loaded, sport

\$18,795



'90 CHEVY G-20 CONV. VAN

350, Auto, Air, Full
Power, 1 owner, 34K

\$13,995



'91 CHEVY A.P.V. CL

full power,
1 owner

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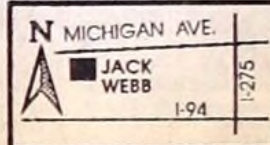
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89. Apts. for Rent

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NORWAYNE, ONE BR fourplex, \$325/mo plus security deposit negotiable. Call 721-2838.

NORWAYNE, ONE BR, completely renovated. Private entrance. \$300-\$345/mo. plus security deposit. 981-2256. E.O.E.

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THREE BR Townhouse apartment, Belleville, furnished or un, washer/dryer, full carpet, central air, full basement, \$675/mo. plus security, 263-4281.

WAYNE APARTMENT, 33402 Michigan Avenue, spacious 1 BR, carpet, air, \$325, 722-8581.

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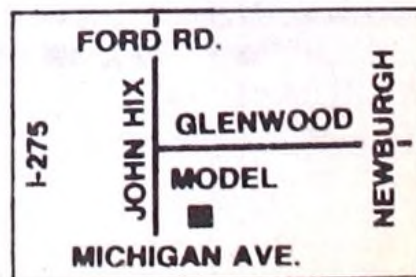
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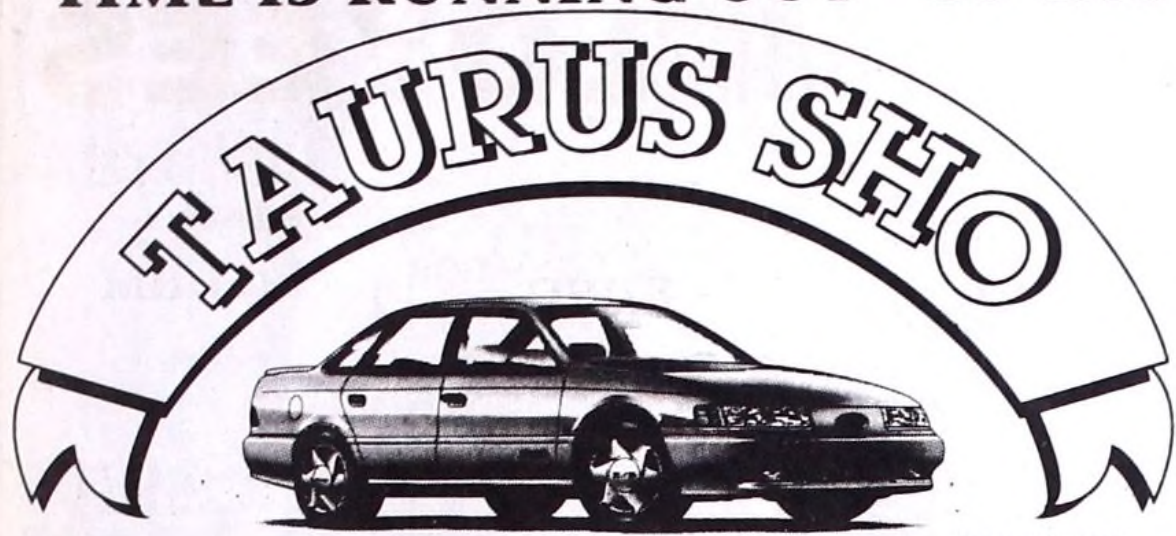
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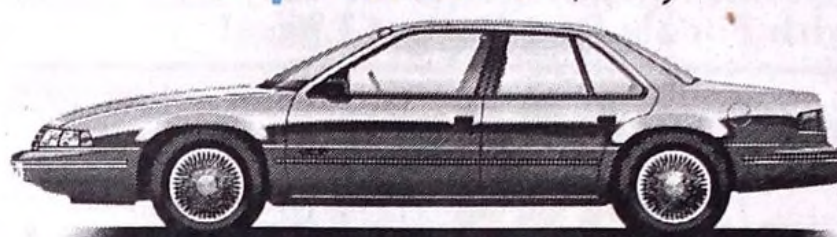
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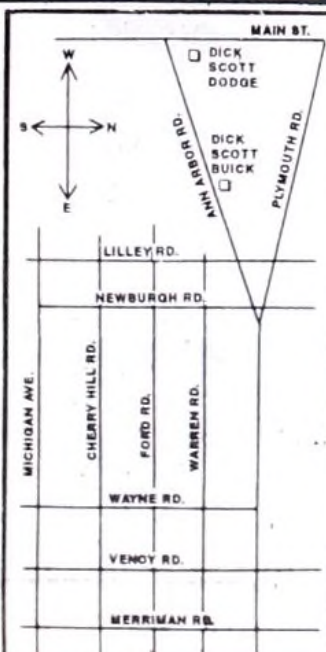
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